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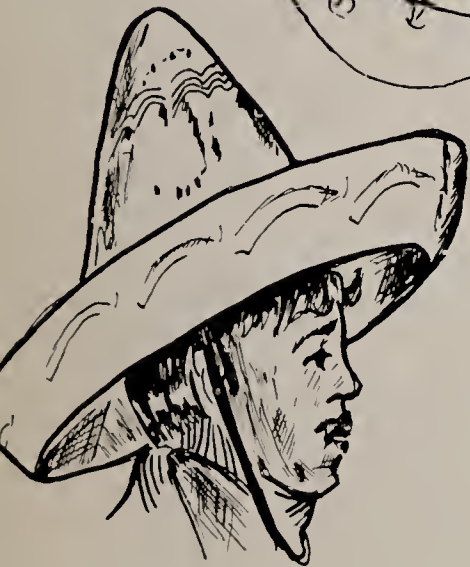


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# Portrait 47



Weaver High School  
Hartford, Connecticut



# FOREWORD

White dresses — dark suits — a few speeches — clapping — diplomas — and it's all over. Three years of high school suddenly take off and drift away to become a thing of the past — three years of Weaver to be held only in memory, to be thought of only with fondest nostalgia. . . . And what have we left behind us? That in its entirety would be impossible to include in the **Portal**. We could not hope to recapture every warm moment, every familiar happening. Yet we feel that in these pages we have made permanent a part of our Weaver. It may be only a very small part, but we hope that as you finger through these pages in the future, these few glimpses will but stimulate your memory and bring flowing back the countless other glimpses we could not portray. If every sketch we make recalls three to mind which we have omitted, then this book will be a success.

And what of the future? The class of 1947 has passed through Weaver under unusual circumstances. When we were sophomores, our country was yet in the midst of war and the gold stars in the lobby were an ever-present reminder. As juniors we tasted peace and with it the bitterness of muddled confusion and seemingly endless discord which always follow war. As seniors we have seen the possible end of that discord in sight. We have cracked through our protective eggshell and a proposition lies before us. We can lapse back into the faults of the past and survive in a world of hate and intolerance. But that is against our fundamental nature, and the principles embodied in us scream out against it. Rather our natural course is to strain forward and grasp that ray of light which spells the end of discord and the beginning of harmony.

*"Stimulate your memory"*







*"As we were in 1947"*

Let us resolve that on New Year's Eve, 1960, we will drink a toast to the class of 1947. We will remember ourselves as we were in 1947 and then look at ourselves as we are in 1960. Then we will scan the years which have passed in between. Let us make sure that we can view the interim with genuine, well warranted satisfaction.

*"Recapture every warm moment"*



# DEDICATION



The breathless student dashed down the hall, papers flying from his books, fingers frantically searching for evasive coat buttons. The man behind the lobby desk observed silently, smiled knowingly, and said to himself, "Too late!" Moments later the tired student was back before the desk, signing the familiar little blue slip. That tardy pupil was you — and you — and you, but the man behind the desk was always Jasper, a part of our Weaver.

Yes, Weaver would never have been the same without Jasper, the smiling giver of the blue slips. Remember him carefully weaving his way through the crowded corridors at the end of third period, striving to keep intact some teacher's lunch tray. Remember him with keys hanging from his pockets and a flashlight in his hand poking through the school during a Saturday night **Lookout** session. Remember him shooting up and down in the elevator, much to the envy of students, and boarding the after-school bus, his much used suitcase in hand. Remember, on every war bond application, the obscure name Jasper Howard, which insured safe delivery. In peace and war Jasper was Weaver's embodiment of McKinley Kantor's true handyman. We heard of him long before we entered Weaver, and we will remember him long after we have left.

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We, the **Portal Board**, dedicate this classbook to a man who can look back with pride on his years of service to Weaver — to a man who has become an institution at Weaver — to a man who cannot help smiling when he sees the same boys and girls who once tried to beat that last bell making a place for themselves in the world. We dedicate the **Portal** of the class of 1947 to the smiling giver of the blue slips, to one Jasper Howard, better known to all of us as just plain "Jasper."



"Jasper"



MR. BURKE

We have always been proud of our school, and especially of our principal, Mr. Frank H. Burke, for the many sterling qualities that have made him an able executive and a staunch friend. He is esteemed for his wise philosophy, and thus his counsel is continually sought by Weaver pupils, who do not hesitate to tell him any of their problems because they know he is a trustworthy confidant. An enthusiastic sportsman, our principal can always be counted on for ardent support of our teams—win or lose. We have him to thank for many of our informative and enjoyable assemblies. Many of us have enjoyed especially the famous extemporaneous speeches, filled with Frank Burke's own brand of humor and his unforgettable dismissal, "I send you now to your first recitation."



*Discussing the  
grandchildren*



Dean of girls . . . experience in the service proved very helpful in dealing with the Weaver Beaveresses . . . an ideal business executive . . . beaming personality topped with a dimpled smile . . . staunch supporter of all school activities . . . a faithful and competent adviser of the Girls' League . . . ambitious and energetic, but extremely modest . . . her accomplishments during her first year as dean of girls promise a happy future for her at Weaver.



MISS KATHERINE R. GOODWIN

## Mr. Burke's New Assistants

MR. AITKEN



Mr. William F. Aitken returned to Weaver this year after an absence which he and Weaver students both consider much too long. Weaver was the first school in Hartford at which Mr. Aitken taught. Perhaps that's why it is his favorite! His natural friendliness and his wholesome sincerity have made him, in only a few months, a vice-principal respected and well-liked by the pupils.

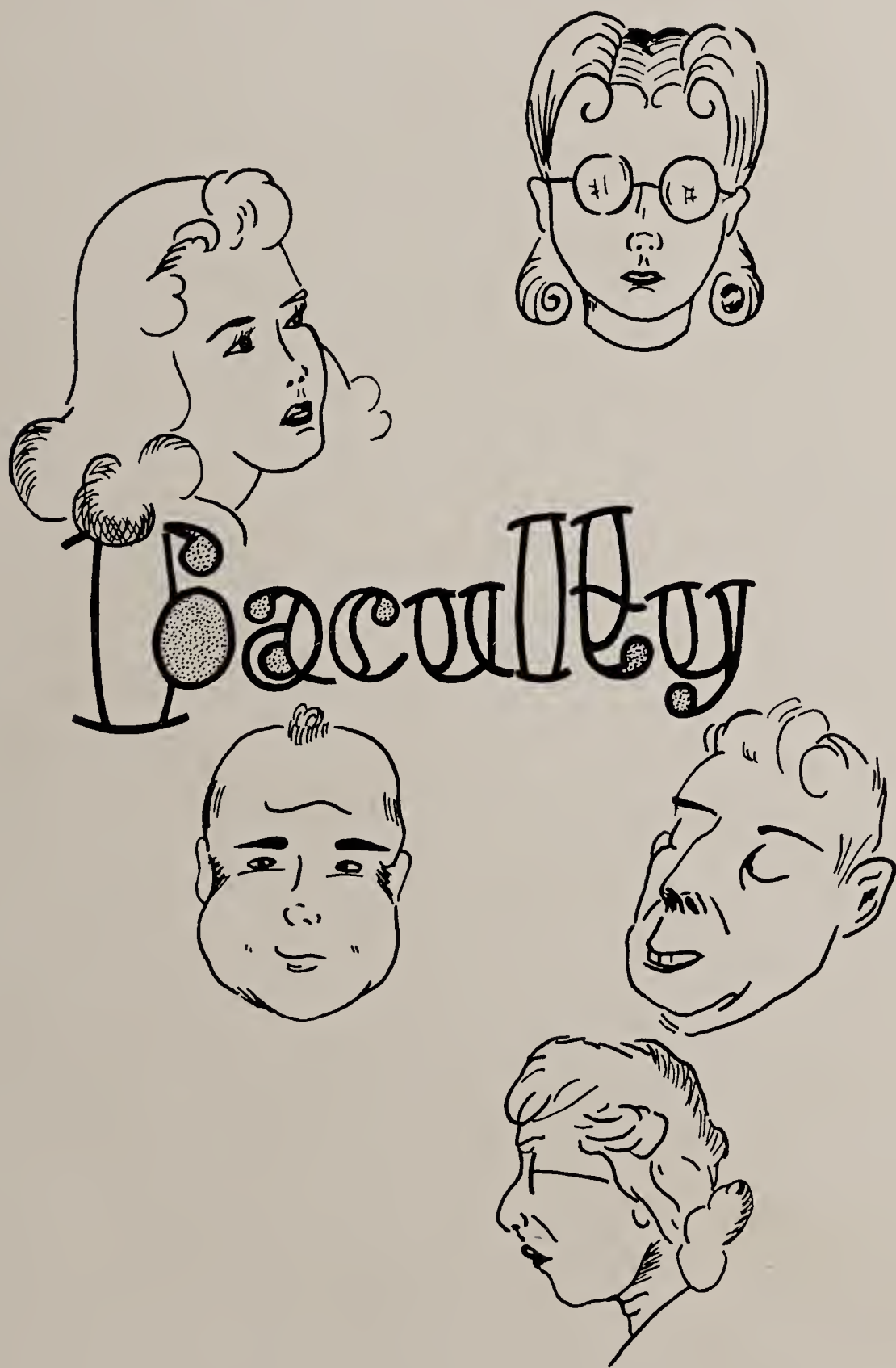




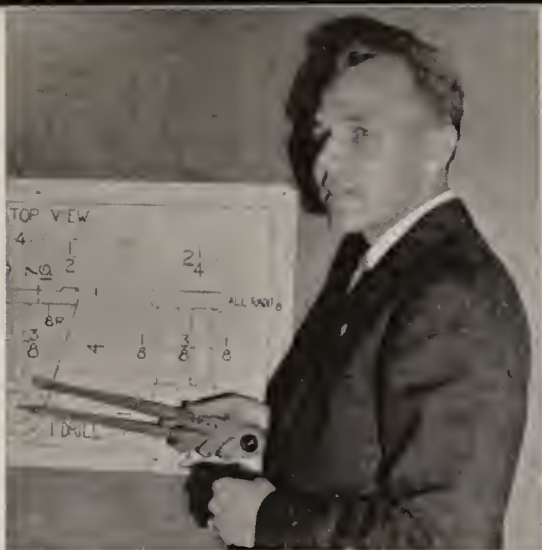
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To the casual observer Weaver is just another building, another high school. To us its significance is far deeper than that because we all were a part of its great pulsating heart. We understand its warmth; its every classroom and each corridor recall to mind some happy or unhappy experience. We will not forget Weaver; we will always remember — for we are a part of it and it is a part of us.









Charles A. Andrews, B.S.  
Mechanical Drawing  
Fitchburg Teachers' College



Russell D. Baker, B.S.  
Biology  
Mass. State College



Harriet D. Best, M.A.  
History and Guidance  
Mt. Holyoke College

Miretta L. Bickford, B.A.  
History  
University of Maine



Jeanette Bodurtha, B.A.  
Biology  
Mt. Holyoke College



Edgar A. Carrier, B.A.  
Mathematics  
Middlebury College



Marion A. Case  
Commercial Subjects  
Chandler Normal School



Mr. Brockway: Concerto versus boogie woogie.  
Mr. Andrews: The girls wish he taught home economics instead of mechanical drawing!  
Mr. Aschenbach. Propaganda!!!  
Mr. Baker: "Now if your frog's a female —"

Miss Best: Always ready with sound advice.  
Miss Bickford: "My dear child —."  
Miss Bodurtha: "I'm not sure. I'll have to look it up."  
Mr. Carrier: "That's pretty good for a girl."



Harold B. Clapp, M.A.  
Mathematics  
Bates College



Portia E. Clough, B.S.  
Home Economics  
Framingham Teach. College

Genevieve W. Conklin, B.A.  
Latin and Spanish  
College of St. Elizabeth

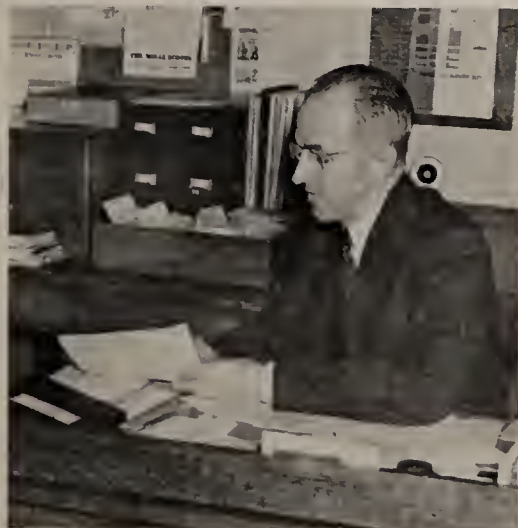


Elizabeth H. Craig, M.A.  
English  
Mt. Holyoke College



Melvin G. Crowell, M.A.  
English  
Cornell University

Robert P. Cunningham, B.B.A.  
Bookkeeping and Office  
Practice  
Northeastern University



Millard S. Darling, M.Ed.  
Guidance  
Amherst College

Merrill H. Dooey, M.A.  
Democracy and History  
University of Maine

Miss Case: "There's too much talking."

Mr. Clapp: "Guess you need a little help on that one."

Miss Clough: Popular with the girls.

Miss Conklin: "All right, class."

Miss Craig: "Honesty is not the best policy; it is the only policy."

Mr. Crowell: "Human destiny is a race —."

Mr. Cunningham: Financial genius of the **Lookout** and **Portal** Boards.





Philip H. Dow, M.A.  
Astronomy, Geology, and  
Aeronautics  
Bates College



Mae Drescher, M.A.  
History and Visual Education  
Mt. Holyoke College



Alice C. Erickson, B.Ed.  
Home Economics  
Framingham Teach. College  
(On leave of absence)



Fortunata Y. Faranda, B.S.  
Home Economics  
Columbia University

Leonard I. French  
Mechanical Drawing  
Pratt Institute



Charles F. Gipson, M.Ed.  
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University of Illinois



Willard B. Green, B.S.  
Music  
State Teachers' College

George F. Halford, M.B.A.  
Commercial Subjects  
Boston University

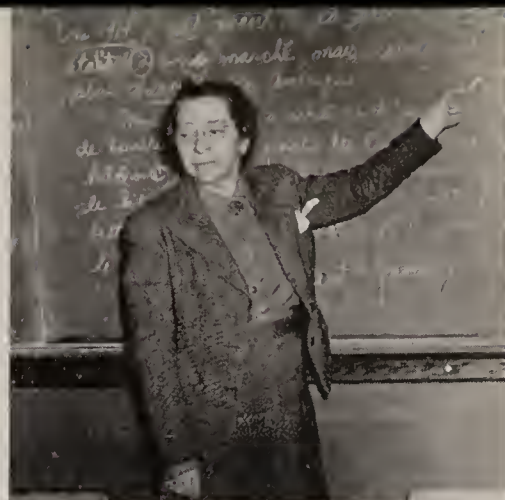
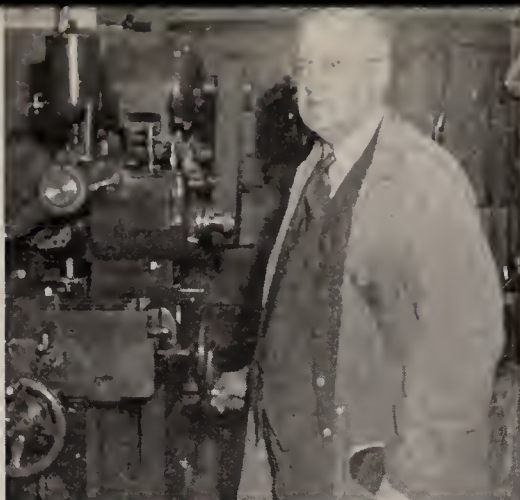


Mr. Darling: Helping hand with your future plans.  
Mr. Dooley: "Now let's have all desks cleared."  
Mr. Dow: "When you wish upon a star —"  
Miss Drescher: "Go to the map and point out —"  
Miss Faranda: Glad she is back!

Miss Fleming: "Are you feeling better now?"  
Mrs. Lindsay: Weaver's lovely young bride.  
Mr. French: Quiet and businesslike manner.  
Mr. Gipson: Look at that hat!  
Mr. Green: They shall have music!



William L. Hall  
Shopwork  
Pratt Institute  
(Retired 1946)



Mabel E. Hanks, B.A.  
French  
Mt. Holyoke College

Henry A. Hanson, B.S.  
Shopwork  
Teacher's Coll. of Conn.



Gretchen B. Harper, B.A.  
Latin  
Wellesley College



Nina L. Hartin, M.A.  
English  
Mt. Holyoke College

Elizabeth B. Haselton  
Librarian  
Rockford College



Helen A. Haselton  
Art  
Milwaukee-Downer College

Elmer M. Hintz, M.Music  
Director of Music  
Chicago Musical College

Mr. Halford: We missed him during his absence.  
Miss Hanks: "Si vous avez une question, levez la main."  
Mr. Hanson: "Now I'd hate to give you a demerit."  
Miss Harper: "This passage is full of meat."

Miss Hartin: Friendly disposition, spontaneous laughter.  
Miss E. Haselton: "The library is a place to study."  
Miss Haselton: Art work for all school activities.  
Mr. Hintz: "Night so dark."





Agnes N. Hogan, B.A.  
Mathematics  
Wesleyan University

Dorothy E. Hood, M.A.  
English  
Mt. Holyoke College



Catherine E. Hubbard, M.A.  
Biology and Physiology  
Mt. Holyoke College

Marie A. Johnston, B.A.  
French  
Radcliffe College

Martin R. Katz, B.A.  
English  
Yale University  
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F. Eliot Larrabee, M.A.  
English  
Wesleyan University



Mary G. Levy, M.A.  
Geography and Guidance  
New York University



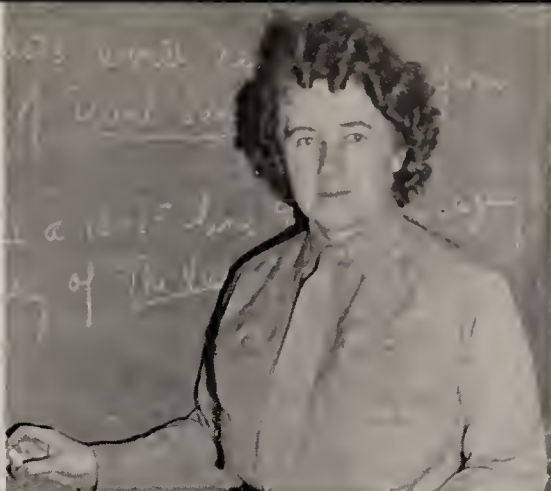
Margaret F. Lindsay  
Home Economics  
University of Connecticut

Miss Hogan: "Do you want me to give you a cipher?"  
Miss Hood: "The flowers that bloom in the spring  
. . . ."

Miss Hubbard: Well liked by all.  
Miss Johnston: "When I was in France, I stood in line and watched my money fall."  
Mr. Larrabee: "Decorum, gentlemen, decorum."

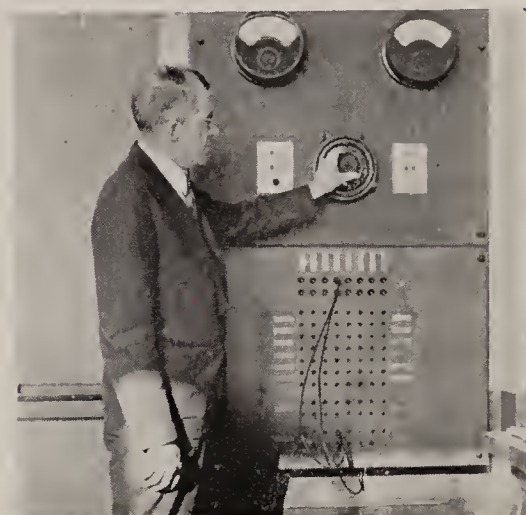


Elvira M. Lord, M.A.  
English  
Moravian College



Ralph D. Lund, M.Ed.  
Physiology  
University of Vermont

Howard H. MacMullen, B.S.  
Physical Education  
Springfield College



E. Allan Maines, B.A.  
Physics and Chemistry  
University of Maine



Lillian M. Mansfield, M.A.  
History  
Mt. Holyoke College

Mona O'Hara, M.A.  
English  
Smith College



M. Nelson Owen, M.A.  
English  
Lehigh University

G. Hapgood Parks, M.Ed.  
Chemistry and Physics  
Clark University

Miss Levy: Sympathetic listener to schedule troubles.

Miss Lord: Known and admired for her service in the War.

Mr. Lund: "You never see the honor students in the library."

Mr. MacMullen: Knows his business.

Mr. Maines: Favorite of many Weaver students.

Miss Mansfield: Friendship, Loyalty, Service.

Miss McGillicuddy: "Fingers on the home row."

Miss O'Hara: "Take two demerits."

Mr. Owen: Rings on his fingers.





Esther Phillips, M.A.  
French  
Bates College



John D. Preu  
Art  
Pratt Institute



Mildred G. Small, B.A.  
English and German  
Mt. Holyoke College  
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Joshua L. Robins, M.Ed.  
Mathematics  
Wesleyan University  
(Retired 1946)

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Metal Shop and Visual  
Education  
Pittsburg Teachers' College

Geraldine Squarey, M.Ed.  
Art  
Mass. School of Art



Marion T. Taft, A.B.  
English  
Mt. Holyoke College  
(On leave of absence)

Arline S. Talcott, M.A.  
History  
Wellesley College



Mr. Parks: Two days without a quiz! I don't believe it!  
Miss Phillips: "Vite au tableau!"  
Mr. Preu: "Anyone who acts like a baby will be treated like one."

Miss Regan: "Do you get what I mean?"  
Mr. Shea: A welcomed addition at Weaver.  
Miss Squarey: "It's very interesting."  
Miss A. Talcott: "Are you asking me or telling me?"  
Mr. Thompson: Welcomed addition to the faculty.

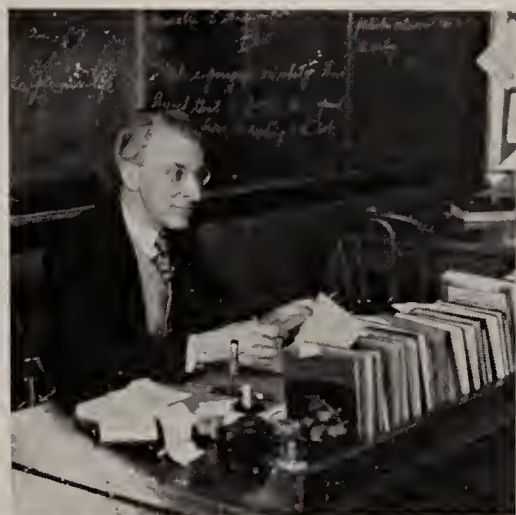


William H. Thompson, B.S.  
Mathematics  
Univ. of New Hampshire



Marion Van Deusen, M.A.  
Stenography and Typing  
Trinity College (D. C.)  
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Frank Van Schaack, M.A.  
English  
Lebanon Valley College

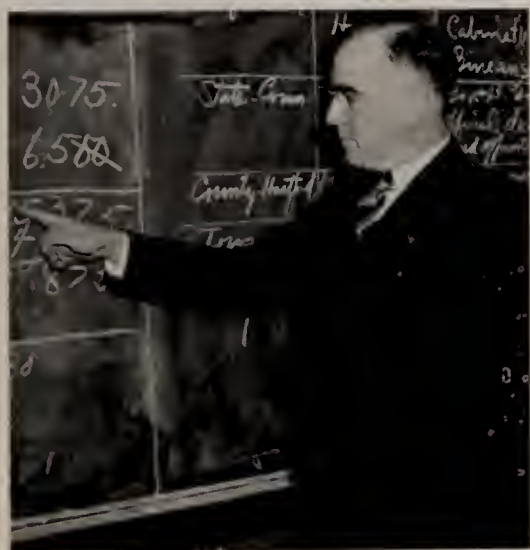


Wayland F. Walch, B.A.  
Chemistry and Physics  
Middlebury College



William R. Waring, B.B.A.  
Bookkeeping and Commercial Law  
Boston University

Eleanor Whitney, M.A.  
Physical Education  
Columbia University



Arthur F. Winslow, M.A.  
Democracy and History  
Emerson College

Mr. Van Schaack: Remember the bell?  
Mr. Walsh: "Watch for an explosion."  
Mr. Waring: Sold us everything from War Bonds to football tickets.  
Miss Whitney: "A rolling exercise gathers no fat."  
Mr. Winslow: "Life's three mysteries are economics, women, and government."





MISS FAITH TALCOTT  
(Retired 1946)

Faith Talcott was dean of girls and vice-principal at Weaver High School for many years. She was loved and respected during those years, but only now that she has retired can we appreciate all that she did unselfishly for our school and for us.

Weston H. Brockway, B.A.

Music  
Dartmouth College

Mary Fleming, R.N.

School Nurse  
St. Francis Hospital

Alice J. McGillicuddy, M.A.

Bookkeeping and Typing  
Boston University

Norma K. Regan, B.A.

English  
Cornell University

The college listed is the one where the teachers did their undergraduate work. The degree is the highest achieved—in most cases awarded by a different college or university.





# CLASS







#### CLASS OFFICERS

**Seated, left to right:** Waterhouse, Lifton, Jacobson, Fitzgerald, Schiavone.

**Standing:** Graham, Kenny, Corn, Shea, Connole, Jackson.

#### CLASS OFFICERS

President .....	Bernard Jacobson	Prophetess .....	Jean Shea
Treasurer .....	Joseph Ungaro	Testator .....	David Corn
Assistant Treasurer .....	Glenna Fitzgerald	Testatrix .....	Marjorie Waterhouse
Chairman of Reception Committee .....		Orator .....	Marvin Bloom
.....	Richard Graham	Essayist .....	Gilda Schiavone
Historians .....	Rita Lifton, Daniel Kenny	Marshall .....	John Jackson
	Prophet .....		John Connole

#### SENIOR RECEPTION COMMITTEE

**Chairman** — Richard Graham

Richard Bermont	Nancy Higgins
Donald Burbridge	Doris Huempel
Elihu Channin	Harold McCain
Pearl Haber	Jean Miele



## COLOR COMMITTEE

Chairman — Daniel Gottlieb

Beverly Braem

Melvin Solomon

Cipriano Padua

Herman Baren

Edwin Jacobson

Frieda Samler

Domenica Tolisano

## RECEPTION COMMITTEE

Seated, left to right: Huempel, Haber, Graham, Miele, Higgins.

Standing: Channin, Burbridge, McCain, Bermont.



## THE LATIN 8 CLASS

"The survival of the fittest!"

## CLASS COLORS

Magenta and Cadet Gray-Blue

## MOTTO COMMITTEE

Chairman — Irving Rosenberg

Charles Meadow

Rosalind Roth

June Herron

Mary Bonadies

Michael Daly

Jay Shapiro

## CLASS MOTTO

Candor dat viribus alas.  
(Honesty gives wings to strength.)



### ROBERT ABRAM

Always dependable . . . puts whole heart into any undertaking . . . a quiet fellow . . . Weaver "happiest years of his life" . . . takes particular interest in shop work . . . plans to go to trade school.

### SANTO AGOSTINO

Seems to be the silent type but a little prying opens him up . . . a strange determination gleams in his eyes . . . pugilistic parade fascinates him . . . looks to serving with Uncle Sam.

### JOAN AHLIN

"J. C." . . . cute, blue-eyed newcomer to Weaver from Windsor . . . smooth dresser . . . gains many friends with her lively personality and friendliness . . . plans a career of fashion.

Girls' League; Girls' Sports; Lookout Typist.

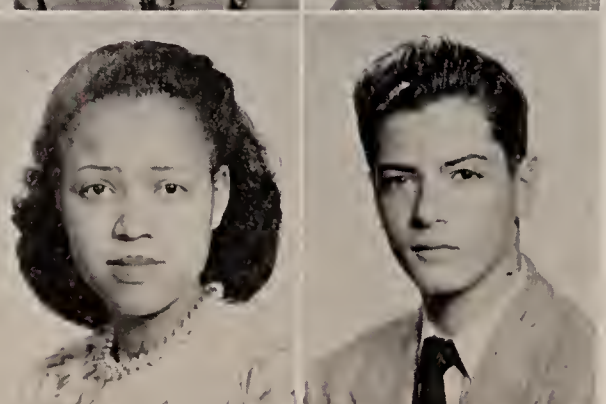
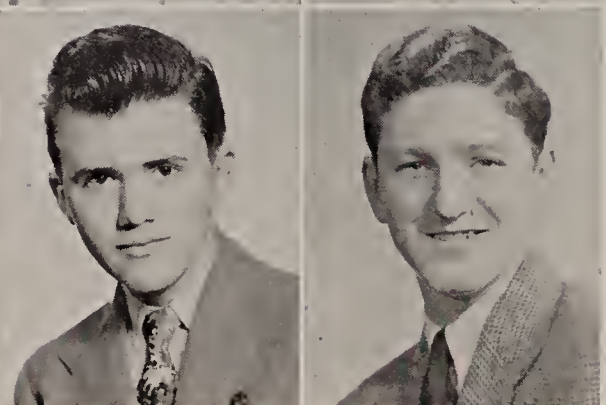
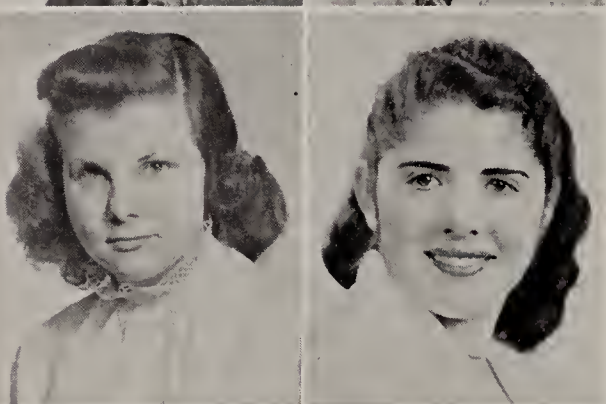
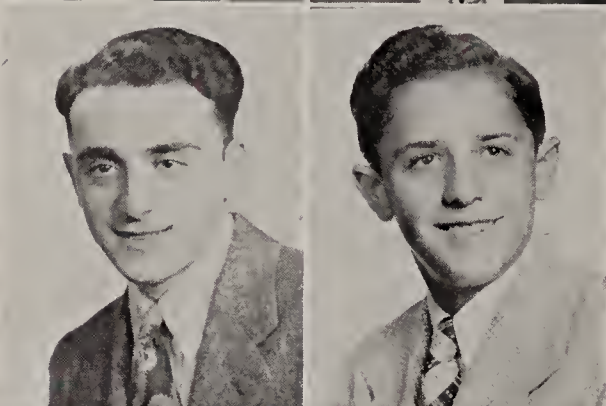
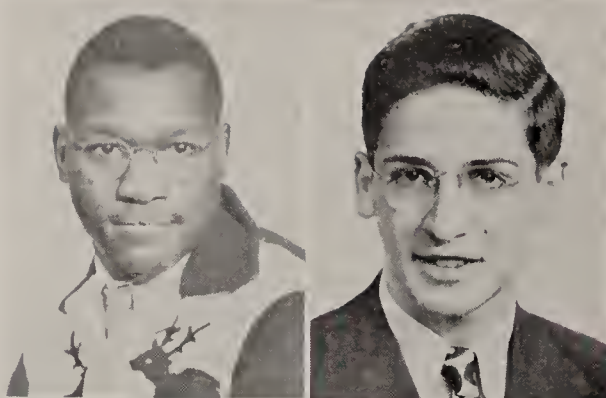
### BASIL ASTERIADES

"Billy" . . . enthusiastic member of the Naval Reserve . . . plans to enlist in the Navy for 20 years! . . . small in stature but loaded with personality.

### RUTH BAKER

"Ruthie" . . . tall and slim . . . has little to say . . . enjoys playing piano . . . good books also pleasant pastime . . . plans to go to business college.

Business Club; Girls' League.



### HERMAN BAREN

Herman . . . quiet and friendly . . . a conscientious student . . . known affectionately as the "Artist Extraordinary" . . . thinks French is a fine language—for Frenchmen! . . . a serious competitor for Michael Angelo!

### HAROLD BASCH

"Joe" . . . good-natured, friendly, popular . . . mighty mite . . . makes up in brains and personality what he lacks in size . . . intelligent, capable . . . sports fan . . . likes art . . . college beckons.

Baseball Mgr.; Biology Club.

### MINNA BASSOK

"Minnie" . . . vitality, personality, and cordiality . . . radiates exuberance . . . sincerity and pleasantness have won her scores of friends . . . perpetually aglow with excitement . . . our gal "Min".

Choir; Clubs: Biology (Vice-Pres.), C.H.L.S., Record; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League; Goodwill Formal Committee; Leaders' Corps.

### ROBERT BATES

"Bob" . . . winning smile and frank personality . . . interested in guns and basketball . . . liked the way teachers handed out demerits with a twinkle in their eye . . . plans to be one of Uncle Sam's future Admirals!

Intramural Sports.

### DAVID BECKER

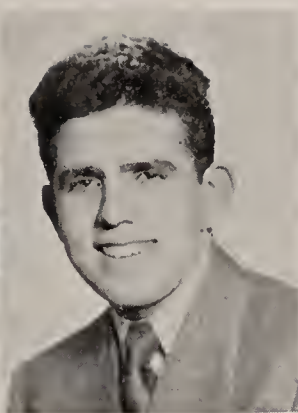
"Dave" . . . finely-chiseled good-looking features . . . versatile abilities and individual opinions . . . spontaneous humor brightens conversation . . . sets high standards for himself and others . . . leadership qualities . . . superior intelligence and extensive general knowledge.

Choir; French Club; Honor Society (Pres.); Jr. Prom Committee; Junior Usher; Lookout Sports Editor; Portal Editor; Quill and Scroll; Cross-Country Squad; Baseball, Mgr.; Bausch and Lombe Prize.



### JOAN BECKERMAN

Always fun to be with . . . generally surrounded by a crowd in the lunchroom . . . ardent member of the Choir . . . enthusiastic sports fan . . . plans for the future — (Bob!). Choir; Girls' League; Jr. Prom Committee.



### RICHARD BERMONT

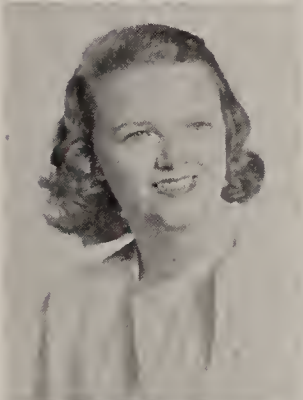
"Dick" . . . tall, dark, and husky . . . pleasant manner and personality . . . inclined toward sports and women . . . usually seen wearing green.

Teams: Football, Track; Special Service Squad; Reception Committee.

### ELIZABETH BELDEN

"Betty" . . . always carefree and featuring a smile . . . has a friendly word for everybody . . . a frequent victim of the swinging door! . . . plans a career in nursing.

Girls' League; Leaders' Corps.



### LOIS BINGHAM

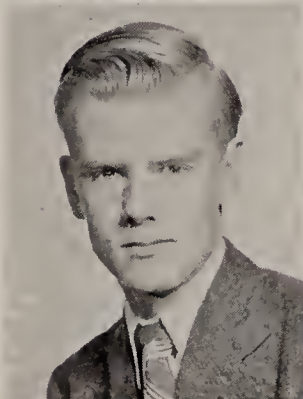
"Lo" or "Butch" . . . smooth blonde locks and button nose . . . fire and honey . . . enjoys reading and music . . . the makings of an excellent, attractive nurse.

Band; Choir; Girls' League; Glee Club.

### KARL BERG

"Whitey" . . . the quiet wizard . . . brain of the science and math classes . . . collector of coins . . . found study periods and lunch most enjoyable.

Football Manager; Intramural Sports.



### EULALIA BLANKER

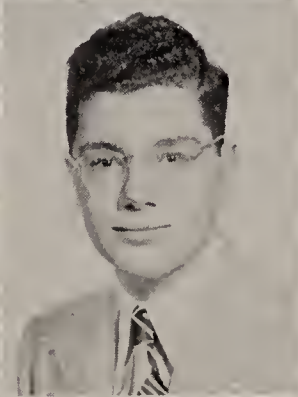
Unusually friendly . . . keen interest in people and friends . . . gets at least one call slip every day! . . . always carrying an armload of books.

Girls' League.

### SHEILA BERGER

Adorable with velvet brown eyes and dimpled smile . . . unassuming about her scholastic record . . . genuine sweetness . . . excellent confidante . . . charms fellows and girls by gay disposition.

Clubs: Biology (Pres.), C.H.L.S., French (Pres.), Record (Sec.); Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League; Goodwill Formal Committee; Honor Society (Vice-Pres.); Portal Board.



### ALBION BLOCK

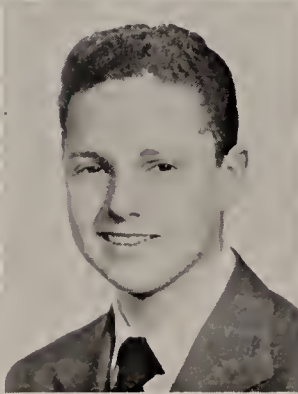
"Al" . . . good-humored and friendly . . . a science whiz . . . an outstanding musician . . . never without a cheery word . . . a loyal pal . . . found Weaver very educational (strange, isn't it?).

Band; Choir; Clubs: Glee, Biology.

### LEAH BERMAN

"Lee" — tall, slim, and attractive . . . frequent smiles show off beautiful teeth . . . catching laugh . . . talented art student . . . plans to continue at Hartford Art School.

Business Club; Girls' League.



### MARVIN BLOOM

"Studs" . . . short and stocky . . . a quick wit and good sense of humor . . . always willing to enter an argument . . . Weaver's Senator Claghorn . . . active in school affairs.

Choirs: A Cappella, All-State; Clubs: Glee (Treas.), Record; Committees: Jr. Prom, Nominating; Portal Board; Orator.



*A Toast to Weaver in 1960*

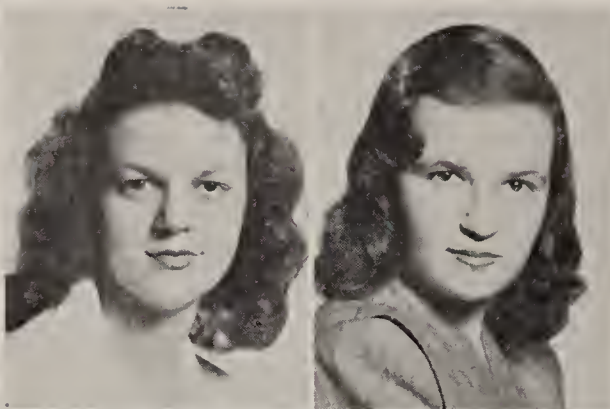




### ROSALIND BLOOM

"Roz" . . . willingly lends helping hand . . . sees her tasks through "to the end" . . . hopes to utilize her interest in art for a career . . . a capable lunchroom cashier.

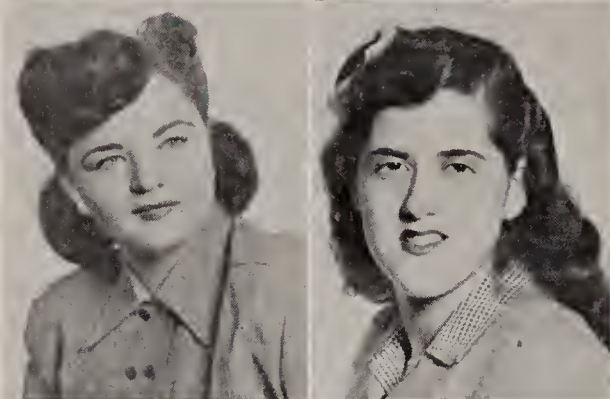
Clubs: Art-Crafts, Biology; Girls' League; Goodwill Formal Committee.



### RUTH BLOOM

"Ruth" . . . great big beautiful eyes and dark brows . . . fun-loving and cheerful . . . fond of dancing, reading, and acting . . . imagine a Weaverite who enjoyed her sophomore year!

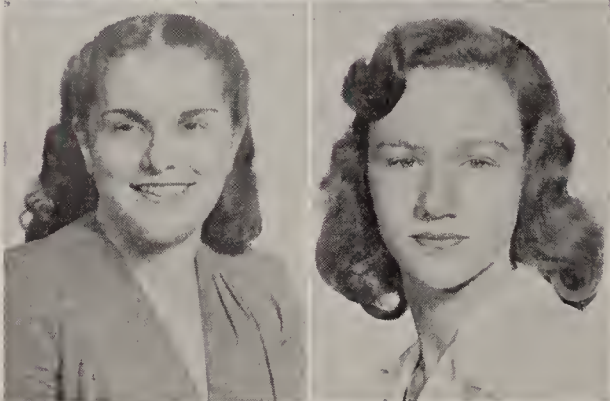
Business Club; Girls' League.



### RITA BLUMENTHAL

"Kirgo" . . . long, dark hair and flirtatious eyes . . . coy smile displays unique dimples . . . lively interest in many activities, including Wesleyan . . . personality both amiable and vivacious . . . numerous male attractions, hmmm? . . . advocates brotherly love.

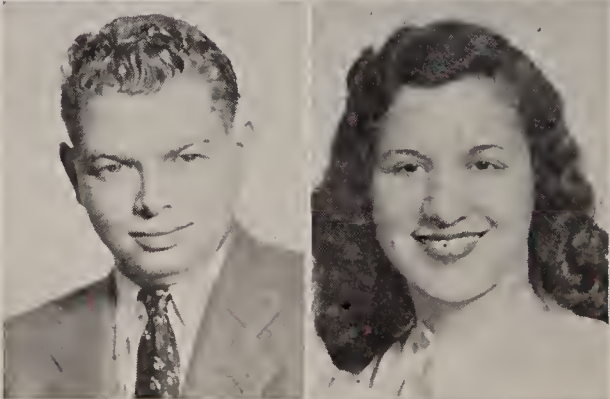
Choir; Clubs: Biology, French, Glee, Record; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League; Goodwill Formal Committee.



### MORRIS BOBICK

"Borsht" . . . looks oh so tough but is so gentle! . . . concocted revolutionary chemical formula  $H_2O + \text{beets}$  yields borsht . . . friendly and really sincere in his own peculiar way.

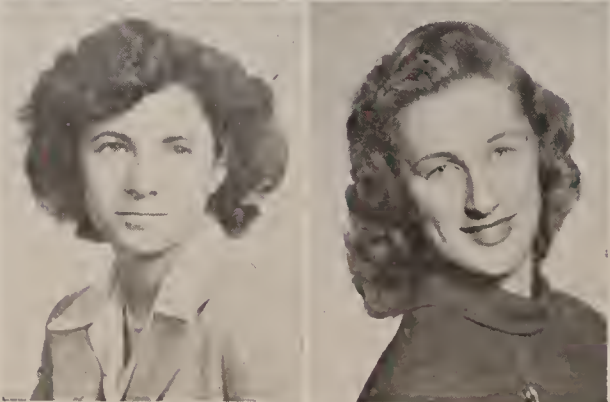
Choir; Football Squad.



### EVANGELINE BOCCACCIO

"Eva" . . . tiny and attractive . . . beautiful coal-black hair . . . another music fiend . . . also interest in art and reading . . . a great football fan.

Band; Choir; Glee Club; Girls' League.



### MARY BONADIES

One of our busier classmates . . . popular with both sexes . . . a sharp dresser and a sharp dancer, too . . . a loyal football fan (naturally!) . . . plans future as a dental hygienist or social worker.

A. A. (Sec.); Choir; Girls' League; Ingleside Club; Leaders' Corps; Committees: Goodwill Formal (Chairman), Jr. Prom; Honor Society; Portal Board; Girls' Sports.

### LOUISA BONFIGLIO

"Lou" . . . swell person to know . . . very generous and kind . . . good sense of humor . . . agreeable and sincere . . . helpful and cooperative at all times.

Girls' League.

### BARBARA BORDEN

Compact, cute, curvacious "Bobby" . . . this little spitfire is strictly inflammable stuff! . . . had her share of "troubles" at Weaver . . . hopes to be medical secretary . . . watch out, patients!

Clubs: Biology, C.H.L.S. (Pres.); Choir; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League; T. B. Jr. Board.

### LENA BOTTARO

Mischievous imp . . . infectious grin . . . wonderful friend to have . . . bubbling over with energy and fun . . . especially interested in "Nicky".

Band, Librarian; Glee Club; Choir; Orchestra (Sec.).

### BEVERLY BRAEM

"Bev" . . . blonde and attractive . . . wonderful personality yet quiet . . . hopes to "stay on her toes" . . . out-door type . . . football, a special attraction.

Girls' League.



### LUCY BUCCHERI

"Lou" . . . always neatly and nicely dressed . . . cheerful and pleasant disposition . . . a true and steady friend . . . a good dancer and a good student, too . . . plans to attend a comptometer school . . . good luck, "Lou".

Choir; Girls' League; Ingleside Club; Leaders' Corps (Sec.); Honor Society; Committees: Jr. Prom, Matinee Dance.



### ANNE BYRNE

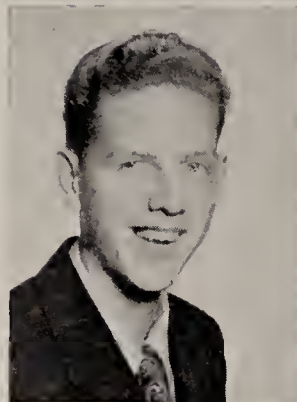
Petite and cute . . . bursting with pep — especially when cheering . . . enjoys dancing to good music . . . football and basketball games please her best . . . plans secretarial work.

Business Club; Cheerleader; Girls' League.

### DONALD BURBRIDGE

"Don" . . . tall and quiet . . . good sense of humor . . . very much interested in sports . . . has made many friends at Weaver . . . undecided about future.

Squads: Basketball, Football, Track; Reception Committee.



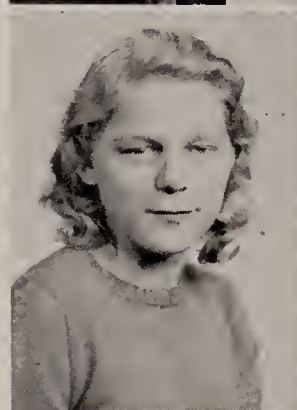
### KATHLEEN CAHILL

"Kay" . . . all out for sports . . . wonderful person to know . . . always something to say . . . very humorous . . . excellent mixer . . . everyone's friend . . . nice-looking blonde. Leaders' Corps; Girls' League; Ingleside Club; Nominating Committee.

### CATHERINE BURGESS

Active sprite with long blonde tresses . . . usually seen in Leaders' Corps uniform, chasing a ball around a gym court . . . agile and able . . . a swell friend.

Leaders' Corps; Girls' League; Honor Society.



### HELEN CALABRO

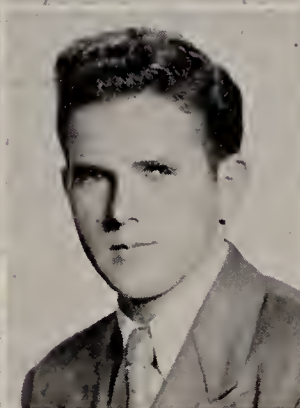
Possesses a slow but steady smile . . . friendly to all . . . interested in sewing and reading . . . enjoyed going to games and participating in sports . . . plans to become a secretary . . . will make a good one, too.

Choir; Glee Club; Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; Nominating Committee; **Lookout** Typist; **Portal** Typist.

### EDWARD BURGIE

"Grandma" . . . great big blond bruiser . . . on the football team . . . one of our "heaviest men" . . . always with an infectious chuckle . . . good sense of humor.

Teams: Football, Track.



### DANIEL CALLAHAN

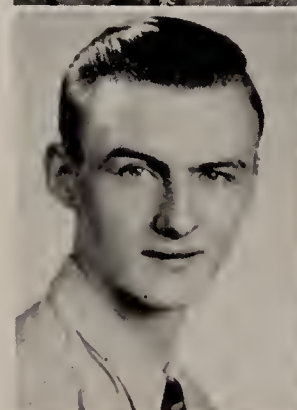
"Dan" . . . striking looks make him much admired by the fairer sex . . . one of the elite on the football team . . . grand personality . . . intelligent and very sincere.

Football Team; Leaders' Corps.

### WILLIAM BURKE

Beanpole "Bill" . . . quiet friendly mannerisms provide a front for undercover Casanova activities . . . always tried to beat the last bell—usually lost! . . . blueprints for the future not yet made.

Intramural Sports.



### RITA CAPLAN

Blonde hair, brown eyes, and a figure to rate many a whistle . . . excellent taste in clothes . . . intelligent young lady . . . college beckons in sunny Florida.

Choir; Clubs: Biology (Sec.), C.H.L.S., Latin; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League; Honor Society.



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### SHIRLEY CARINO

"Shirl" . . . tall and slim . . . loves to eat but doesn't look it . . . thought formals tops . . . a future secretary who wants to sit on the boss's lap! Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



### ELIHU CHANNIN

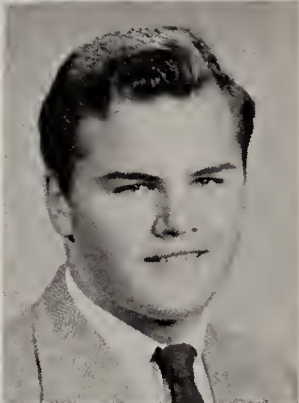
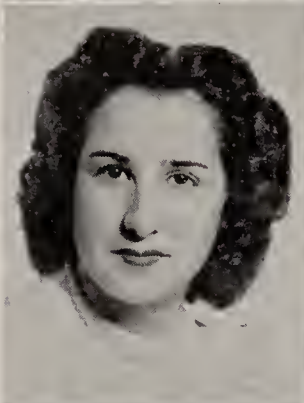
"El" . . . short, light, nice-looking . . . Weaver's Appollo . . . friendly, helpful . . . admired by fairer sex . . . tennis pro . . . swimming adherent . . . constant hair comber . . . affiliated with a certain short, cute female! . . . expects college.

Clubs: Biology, Leaders'; Football Squad; Tennis Team; Reception Committee.

### ROSALIND CARLO

"Ro" . . . high coloring . . . bubbling vitality and forever smiling . . . always has a good time . . . never fazed by hardships encountered in Weaver classrooms.

Girls' League; Girls' Sports.



### RICHARD CHAPPELL

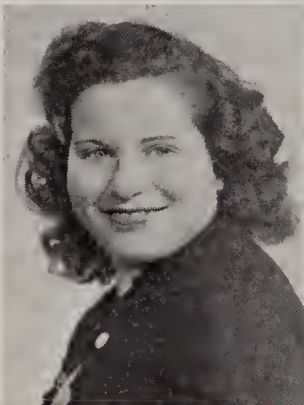
"Dick" . . . tall, strong, silent . . . plunging fullback of the Green and White . . . liked by many . . . famed for athletic achievements . . . salt of the earth . . . admires females from a distance . . . future plans indefinite.

Teams: Basketball, Baseball, Football.

### LENA CATALDO

"Lee" . . . full of fun . . . always ready with an answer . . . comment about Weaver — "None better!" . . . insurance office work in near future . . . later child nurse.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club (Treas.).



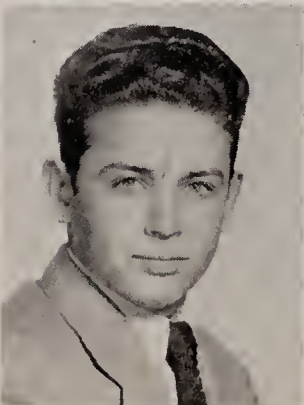
### JANE CHESLER

"Janie" . . . a vivacious, cheerful person . . . always ready with a helping hand . . . possessor of the cutest of short, curly locks . . . very popular and well liked . . . future plans include college.

Choir; Biology Club (Treas.); Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League (Vice-Pres.); Jr. T. B. Board.

### SALVATORE CECERE

"Sal" . . . sparkling eyes . . . good sense of humor . . . partial to blue . . . eats, sleeps, and talks football . . . rugged build! . . . "here I am, babe."



### EDWARD CHRISTENSEN

"Chris" . . . tall and broad-shouldered . . . his special interests include music and a blonde . . . fire trucks attract him! . . . service bound.

Band.

### BARBARA CHAFFEE

"Bobbie" . . . came to us from Bloomfield High . . . really a whiz in science or math classes . . . very friendly and always eager to help one in need . . . will certainly make good in college.

Choir; Glee Club; Girls' League.



### MARIE CICORIA

Neatly dressed at all times . . . enjoys a good laugh . . . spends leisure time listening to jazz records and roller skating . . . has many friends . . . plans to do clerical work after graduation.

Girls' League.



#### RUTH CLIMAN

"Ruthie" . . . full of fun and laughter . . . swimming, dancing, horseback-riding provide good fun . . . collects match covers from different places . . . business school in near future.

Choir; Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



#### MURRAY COHEN

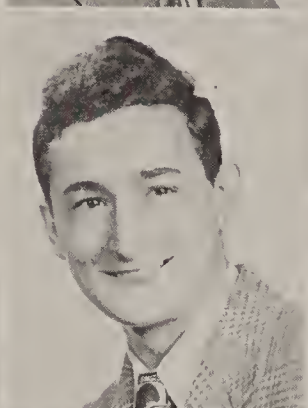
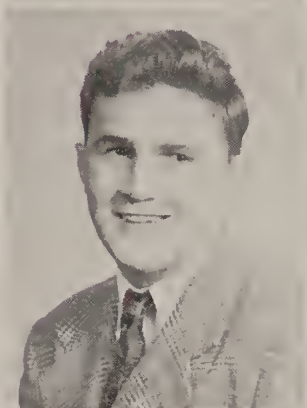
The true embodiment of a teacher's dream of student co-operation . . . always helping someone—usually girls with their bookkeeping! . . . powerful voice in Glee Club and Choir.

Choir; Clubs: Glee, Record.

#### GERALD CLYMER

"Jerry" . . . tall, healthy, pleasant appearance . . . quiet, likable, easy-going . . . definitely masculine opinions . . . rugged football stalwart . . . rates Weaver "high"! . . . perpetual smile . . . engineering in future.

Biology Club; Football Squad.



#### NORMAN COHEN

"Norm" . . . energetic, industrious, intelligent . . . uncanny knack for doing the wrong thing at the right time . . . his nonchalant humor, a morale booster to all . . . horseback riding enthusiast.

#### FAITH COHAN

Friendly smile and cheerful disposition . . . quiet and unassuming . . . gentle and obliging personality . . . musical interests . . . petite figure . . . dressed in good-looking clothes . . . Teachers' College candidate.

Business Club; Girls' League.



#### RENEE COHEN

The gal with beautiful shining hair . . . sparkling eyes and smooth complexion . . . coin collector . . . patients will adore being ill with this future nurse.

Girls' League.

#### ARLENE COHEN

"R" . . . active and helpful in many school activities and clubs . . . enjoys simple pleasures—growing and arranging flowers, good music, bowling, cooking, and baking . . . future nurse.

Clubs: Biology, Ingleside; Girls' League; Lookout Business Board.



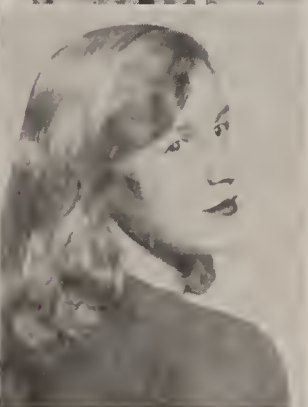
#### CARMINE COLANGELO

"Duke" . . . a regular fellow and a good conversationalist . . . pleasant and jovial disposition . . . has a host of friends . . . especially interested in music . . . liked lunch period best of all!

#### BARBARA COHEN

"Bobby" . . . sparkling wit, combined with abounding vitality . . . energetic enthusiasm in all her varied undertakings . . . cheerful disposition conveyed by merry gleam in her expressive eyes . . . gifted pianist.

Choir; Clubs: Biology, Record; Girls' League.



#### LILA COLEDESKY

"Streaky" . . . recognized by her Lauren Bacall slink . . . long blonde tresses . . . exuberant "hello" . . . has rogues gallery of the opposite sex! . . . excellent pianist.

Choirs; A Cappella, Senior; Girls' League; Clubs; Glee, Record.



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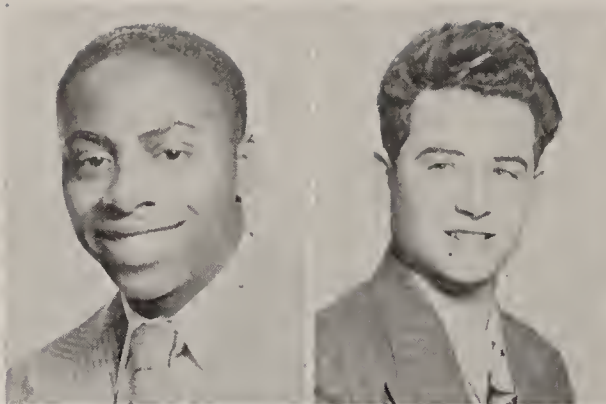




**ROBERT COLEMAN, JR.**

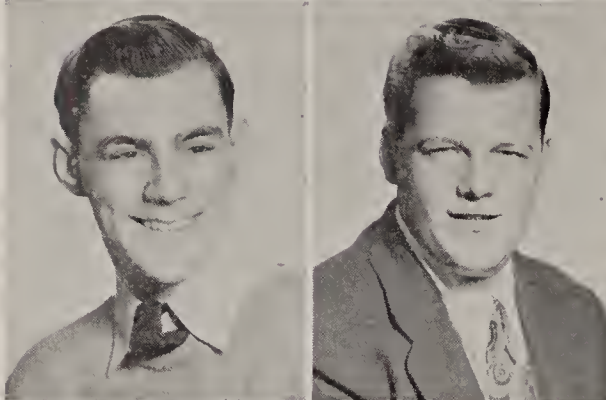
"Jibbo" . . . possessor of a beautiful smile . . . neat dresser . . . favorite with the weaker sex . . . sports enthusiast . . . enjoyed friendliness of students . . . future plans — ?

Choir; Glee Club; Intramural Sports.



**JOHN COLLIER**

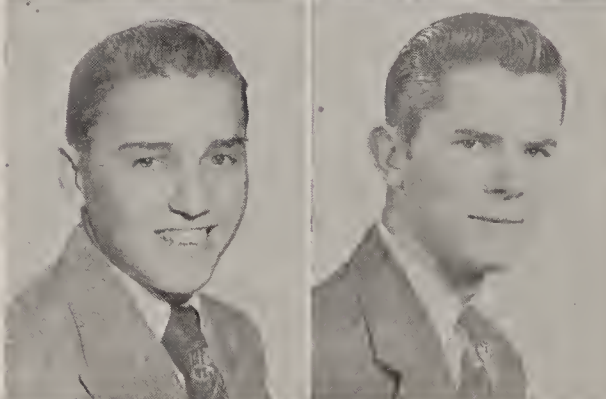
"Lanky" . . . long string bean . . . quiet, unassuming . . . some scheme must be hatching in his mind! . . . hair always flapping in his eyes . . . Jr. College beckons.



**JOSEPH COLTURI, JR.**

"Joe" . . . noted for his pleasant and congenial nature . . . well liked by all . . . spends leisure time camping, hunting, and fishing . . . plans for the future — marriage in 1960.

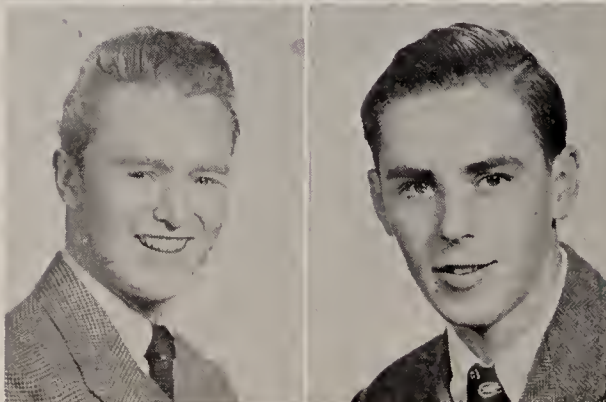
Leaders' Corps.



**JOHN CONNOLE**

"Chick" . . . quiet and good-looking fellow . . . fine thatch of red hair . . . an industrious and successful student . . . has an unobtrusive interest in women!

Junior Usher; Model Airplane Club; Prophet.



**SHIRLEY COOPER**

"Shirl" . . . shiny black hair and a gay sparkle in her eyes . . . beautifully groomed and smartly dressed . . . sincere and amiable personality attracts many friends of both sexes.

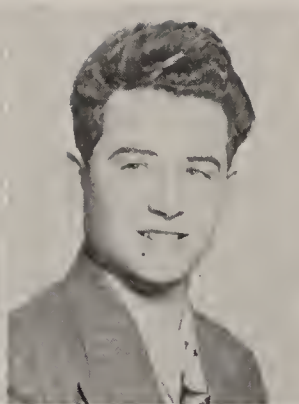
Clubs: Biology, Ingleside; Girls' League; Girls' Sports; Jr. Prom Usher.



**DAVID CORN**

"Dave" . . . dark, good-looking, easy-going, good-natured, friendly . . . possessor of well known wit . . . sparkling personality . . . definitely a lady's man . . . music and eating enthusiast . . . hopes for college.

Bands: Weaver (Librarian), All-State, All-New England; Chess Club; **Lookout** Business Manager; Testator.



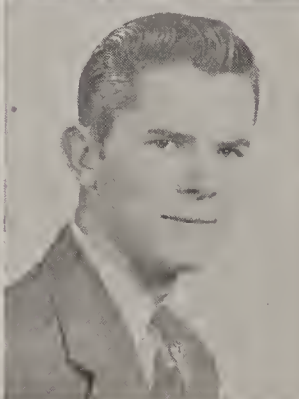
**ALTON COSMAN**

"Cos" . . . tall and husky . . . likes to "angle" fish and women . . . marveled at the teachers who understood him! . . . another future service man.



**ROBERT DAHILL**

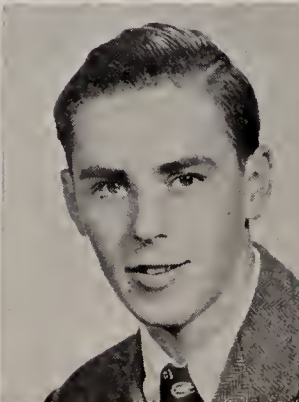
"Lefty" to all . . . girls think he's cute . . . decided Massachusetts accent . . . ardent baseball fan . . . excellent outfielder . . . thinks of vacations as best part of school!



**MICHAEL DALY, JR.**

"Mike" . . . tall, slim, and good-looking . . . conscientious and industrious student . . . quiet . . . a fast and true friend . . . interested in collecting both coins and stamps . . . will attend Trinity . . . loads of luck.

Clubs: Chess, Latin (Treas.); Intramural Track; Leaders' Corps; **Portal** Business Board.



**ARCHANGELO D'AMATO**

"Archie" . . . noted for his ability with the "squeak-box" . . . can make an accordion sit up and talk . . . an ardent sports enthusiast . . . plans to make the accordion his profession.





Physics Class — Dorothy Solon

"Physics is such a fascinating subject."



Lois Bingham and Eddie Christensen

"Come what come may,  
Time and the hour run  
through the roughest day."



Girls' Gym — Kay Cahill and Jeanne Miele

Jean: "Kay, are you sure Miss Whitney  
said she'd be back in 10 minutes?"



Sam Epstein and Morris Bobick

Bobick: "We're rich!! Barrels of Borsht."

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#### SALVATORE D'ANNOLFO

"Sal" . . . black-haired bundle of smiles . . . a red-hot jazz enthusiast . . . master of the ivory keys . . . a rabid record collector . . . up-and-coming competitor for Eddie Duchin.

#### GERALDINE DAVIN

"Gerry" . . . as vivacious and gay a person as one could find . . . witty and full of fun . . . always found on a sports field . . . liked for her happy-go-lucky spirit and friendly manner.

Clubs: Biology, Camera, Ingleside; Leaders' Corps (Pres.); Committees: Jr. Prom, Matinee Dance; Girls' League; Lookout Circulation Board.

#### FREDERICK DAVIS, JR.

"Juny" . . . writes music in spare time . . . doesn't have much to say (around females) . . . collects records . . . real music enthusiast . . . plans to attend Julius Hartt Music School after graduation.

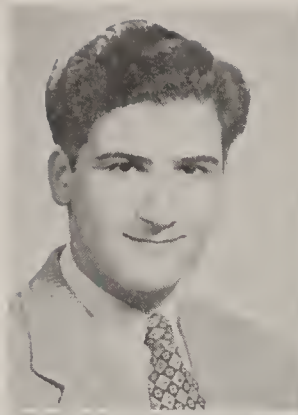
#### MARIE DE COZIO

"Marie" . . . one of our quiet and reserved classmates . . . very pleasant disposition . . . greets everyone with a warm smile . . . likes to embroider and crochet . . . plans for the future include office work. Girls' League.

#### PETER DEL MASTRO

"Pete" . . . happy-go-lucky . . . excellent clarinet player . . . talented member of the band . . . shows promise as a future musician . . . gay spirit wherever he goes!

Band; Choir; Glee Club; Orchestra.



#### LORRAINE DE MEO

"Lorry" . . . a sharp dresser . . . full of fun . . . a great record collector . . . extremely fond of dancing . . . a loyal football and basketball fan . . . plans to work for a while and then settle down!

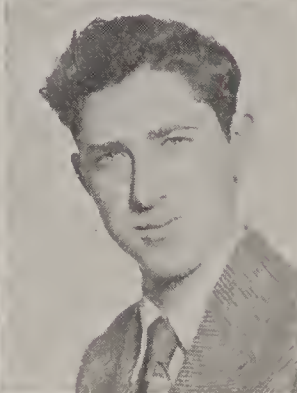
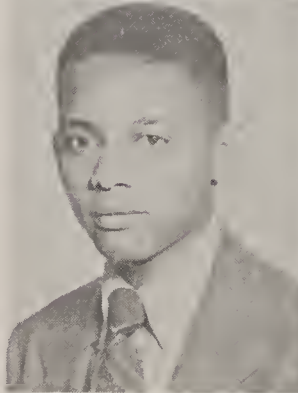
Girls' League; Ingleside Club; Jr. Prom Committee.



#### DOROTHY DE MINO

"Dotty" . . . wavy brown hair . . . cute figure . . . wonderful artist and pianist . . . loved football games and 2:00 dismissals . . . another art candidate.

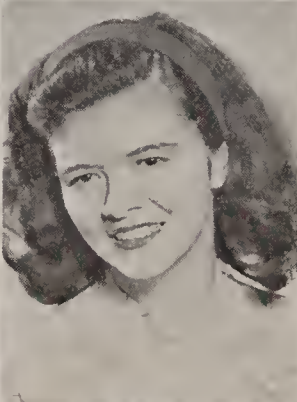
Art-Crafts Club; Leaders' Corps; Girls' League.



#### MAX DENENHOLTZ

"Danny" . . . quiet and reserved . . . an avid sports fan . . . happiest at a baseball game . . . enjoyed those after-school study periods.

Clubs: Biology, Record.



#### LOIS DEXTER

"Stubby" . . . winning smile disarms all . . . will make an excellent housewife . . . loves to cook and sew . . . an energetic volunteer during the war.

Ingleside Club; Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; Girls' Sports.



#### ANNE DI BELLA

"Sis" . . . always on the go . . . enthusiastic participant in all sports . . . keen on dogs . . . merry twinkle in her eyes . . . lively personality . . . wonderfully happy laugh.

Girls' League; Girls' Sports.



### MARIE DI CORLETO

"Deak" . . . soft brown hair and enviable flashing green eyes . . . cute figure . . . lively sense of humor and merry laugh . . . well liked for her sparkling personality.

Girls' League.



### ELEANOR DONOGHUE

"Ellie" . . . a gal full of good humor . . . finds enjoyment in dancing . . . liked attitude and friends at Weaver . . . office work in future and "the rest will take care of itself."

Girls' League.

### ANN DI NATALE

"Ann" . . . usually seen with Shirley . . . generally giggling over something . . . has had quite a few difficulties with the side arm chairs!

Girls' League.



### LORNA DRAGO

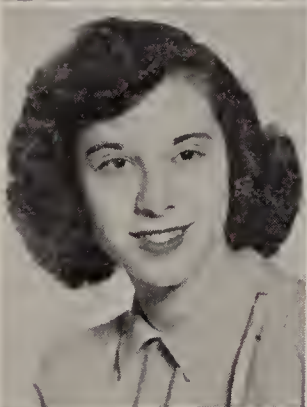
"Tex" . . . the quiet, friendly type . . . interested in writing poetry, plays, and stories . . . enjoys all sports . . . liked everything about Weaver except the "freezing" annex . . . plans to major in English at college.

Girls' League.

### TERESA DI PERSIO

"Terry" . . . dark and full of fun . . . a record collector and "pal" of the Navy . . . loved to meet friends between classes . . . comment on Weaver—"Couldn't be better."

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



### GEORGE DUCHARME

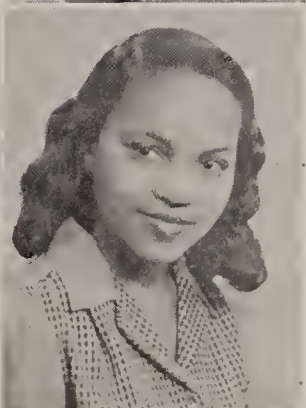
The fair sex is attracted by that curly dark hair . . . interests include dancing and cards . . . "knocked down the pins" for the Hartford Wrens.

Choir; Glee Club.

### DOROTHY DODEZ

"Dottie" . . . swell person to know . . . full of pep . . . takes interest in hunting and fishing . . . hobby—motorcycle riding! . . . plans office work for couple of years and "then who knows!"

Girls' League.



### ESTHER DUKES

"Dusty" . . . possessor of pleasing smile . . . always willing to help . . . petite and slim . . . enjoys baseball, skating, dancing, and movies . . . a future secretary . . . envy the lucky employer!

Business Club; Girls' League; Girls' Sports.

### MARSHALL DODGE

"Red" . . . tall with wavy red hair . . . a collector of stamps . . . has an axe to grind with "grinds" . . . favorite period—lunch . . . college bound.

Biology Club; Football Mgr.; Lookout Circulation Board.



### LORRAINE DUNCAN

"Zon" . . . tall, friendly, and sincere . . . a whiz at the piano . . . a captivating smile makes everyone her friend . . . planning to attend New England Conservatory of Music . . . good luck, "Lorry"; you deserve it.

Choirs: A Cappella, All-State, Senior; Clubs: French, Glee; Girls' League; Girls' State; Leaders' Corps; Jr. Prom Committee; Portal Board.



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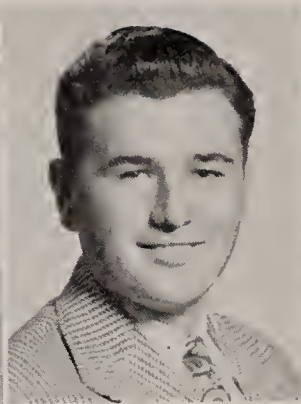
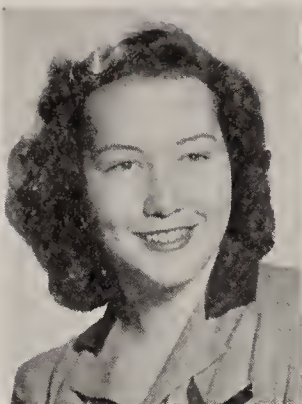




### CAROL ELLINGWOOD

Nice quiet friend . . . enjoys playing piano, dancing, and skating . . . liked years at Weaver . . . secretarial school in future . . . good luck always.

Girls' League.



### SAMUEL EPSTEIN

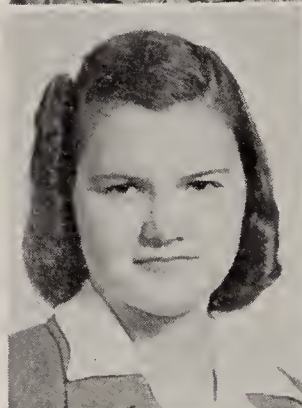
"Shike" . . . genial and good-humored at all times . . . talented musician and golf player . . . always wears a smile and a sweater . . . plans college.

Choir; Clubs: Biology, Camera; Orchestras: All-New England, Weaver; Teams: Football, Track; **Portal** Business Board.

### MARILYN ENGEL

"Lynn" . . . cute and dark . . . bright personality . . . loves dogs, especially "Drina" . . . has a yen for classical music (not jazz) . . . physiology a feather in her cap . . . college bound.

Biology Club; Leaders' Corps; Girls' League; Honor Society; **Lookout** Sports Editor.



### NINA ERMAKOVICH

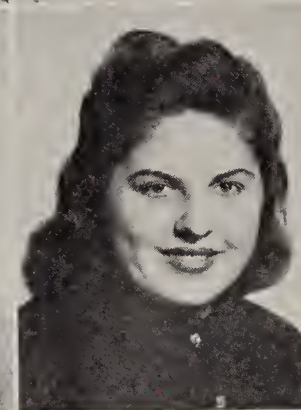
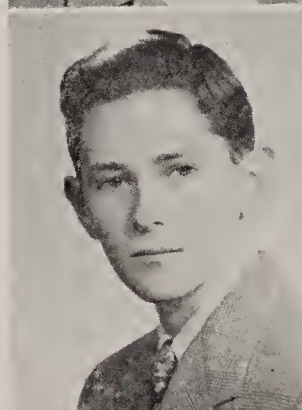
Nina . . . very attractive with beautiful brown hair . . . has a flare for clothes and wears them well . . . cuts a neat figure on roller skates . . . collects snapshots (Male?) . . . definitely one of the gang.

Girls' League.

### BERNARD EPSTEIN

Devilish "Bernie" . . . one of Weaver's many clowns . . . sports wavy hair, sparkling eyes, and perpetual grin . . . crossed tennis rackets on big "W" add a full inch to his manly (?) chest.

Tennis Team; Football Mgr.



### EVELYN ERTMAN

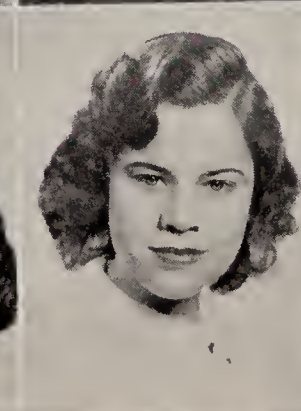
Possesses a pleasant smile and a hearty laugh . . . ambitious and dependable . . . collects picture postcards and foreign coins . . . enjoys reading and traveling . . . plans to attend a junior college.

Clubs: Business, Ingleside; Girls' League.

### ESTHER EPSTEIN

"Es" . . . cute, dark-haired miss . . . bright smile . . . faithful Weaverite, even though she shares an interest in H. P. H. S., hmm? . . . heading for college in California after graduation.

Girls' League.



### SYLVIA ETHIER

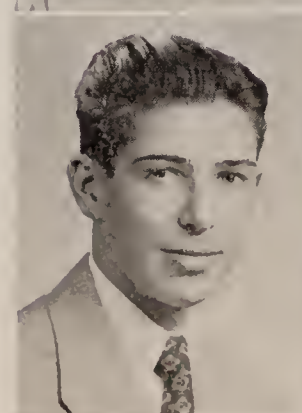
"Frenchy" . . . one of our tinier classmates . . . very cute and petite . . . possesses a really fine voice . . . hopes to continue her study of music . . . here's to our future "Queen of the Met."

Girls' League.

### ROBERT EPSTEIN

"Bob" . . . tall and always sporting a smile . . . cute and nonchalant . . . has a friendly word for everyone . . . enjoys all sports . . . heading for college.

Biology Club.



### VIRGINIA FARRELL

"Blondie" . . . a sincere and sociable miss . . . always nicely dressed . . . full of fun . . . enjoys collecting pictures (of whom, "Blondie"?) . . . thinks Weaver was tops . . . plans to be a baby nurse!

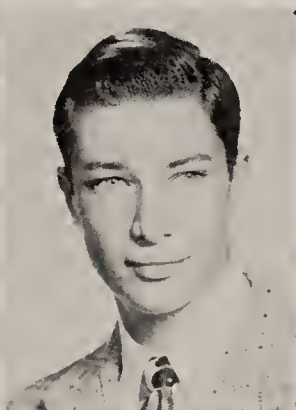
Girls' League.



### GLENNA FITZGERALD

"Fritzie" . . . Weaver's gift to Mr. Conover . . . possesses a friendly and cheerful nature . . . active in Girls' Sports . . . always seen at football games . . . future medical assistant . . . lucky doctor!

Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; Jr. Prom Committee; Ass't Treas.



### EARL FORMAN

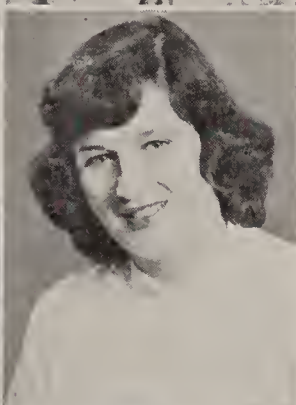
Pleasant combination of intelligence, friendliness, and sincerity . . . extremely likeable . . . methinks we detect shyness in that smile . . . exceptionally varied interests and talents . . . known especially for model airplane achievements.

Choir; Clubs: Biology, Chess (Pres.), Glee, Model Airplane (Treas.); **Portal** Business Manager; Teams: Golf, Track.

### LORRAINE FLANAGAN

"Nancy" . . . the carefree type . . . enjoys traveling, especially to Maine (why, "Nancy?") . . . liked everyone at Weaver — except the "bashful boys" . . . plans business in the field of beauty culture . . . will be tops at it, too.

Art-Crafts Club; Girls' League.



### FAY FORMAN

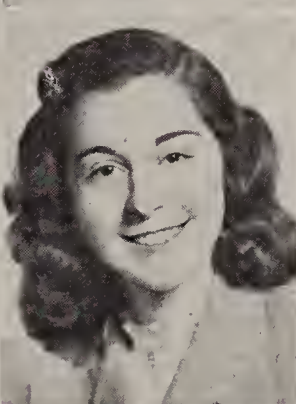
Loads of fun . . . sparkling wit . . . industrious and capable . . . enjoys discussing good books . . . sentimental nature and philosophical moods . . . fond of a good chess game.

Clubs: Biology, Camera, C. H. L. S., French; Leaders' Corps; Girls' League; **Lookout** Business Board.

### MARILYN FLEISHMAN

Sweet sincerity coupled with becoming tranquility . . . beautiful jet locks the envy of many females . . . lovely eyes . . . hopeful disciple of Florence Nightingale.

Clubs: Biology (Sec.), C. H. L. S.; Girls' League.



### MOLLY FRANKLIN

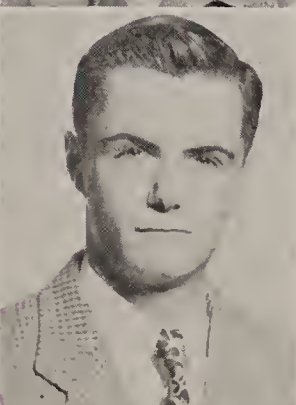
Friendly smile and sincere manner win many new friends for this former New Yorker . . . ability and enjoyment in music and archery . . . nursing intentions.

French Club; Girls' League.

### CAROL FOLEY

"R. P." . . . has many friends . . . talented in talking, just plain talk, and singing . . . overflowing with school spirit . . . fine sense of humor . . . good sport.

Clubs: Art-Crafts (Vice-Pres.), Business, Glee (Librarian); Girls' League.



### HARVEY FRAUENGLASS

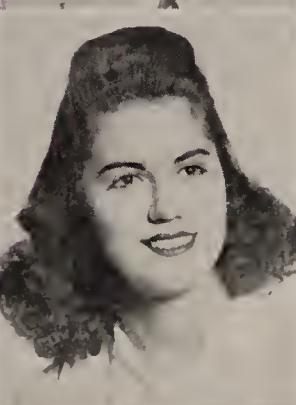
"Harve" . . . the voice . . . never on time . . . always has bright ideas . . . finds radio production intriguing . . . the great reformer . . . jumped the gun and entered college at the half year.

Choirs: A Cappella, Senior; Band; Clubs: German (Vice-Pres.), Glee; **Lookout** Associate Editor; Track Team.

### GWENDOLYN FOOTE

"Gwennie" . . . always ready with an answer . . . amiable . . . pleasing personality . . . crafts and poster painting occupy spare time . . . bookworm, while working in library . . . undecided about future.

Leaders' Corps; Girls' League.



### JOYCE FRIEDMAN

"Joy" . . . very interested in all things musical . . . flowing long hair . . . sparkling brown eyes . . . rather tall . . . good dancer . . . enthusiastic record collector.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.

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#### SHIRLEY FREIMAN

"Shirl" . . . pleasing, friendly personality . . . fond of the piano . . . future teacher or laboratory technician . . . dark black hair . . . bright smile for everyone.

Clubs: Biology, Camera; Girls' League.



#### SEYMOUR GAVENSKY

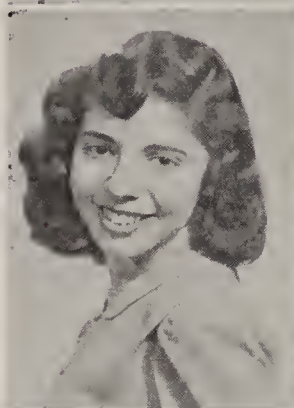
Beautiful blue eyes envied by male and female alike . . . embodiment of all the "swell kid" assets . . . keen sense of fun goes along with an active intelligence.

Jr. Prom Committee; Track Squad.

#### BARBARA FREIDMAN

"Bobbie" . . . soft brown hair frames a pretty face . . . beams when she smiles . . . shows special talent in art . . . particularly enjoyed Weaver formals.

Art-Crafts Club; Girls' League.



#### RITA GERSHMAN

Brightly shining eyes augmented by a continually pleasant smile add up to a strikingly pretty face . . . deep rich voice inspires enjoyment and awe in all listeners.

Choirs: A Cappella (Sec.), Senior; Glee Club; Honor Society.

#### FRANCIS GARSTKA

"Frank" . . . all around good looks topped by crown of wavy blond hair . . . very friendly . . . always joking or laughing at someone else's jokes . . . trade school comes next.

Model Airplane Club.



#### SARA GITSON

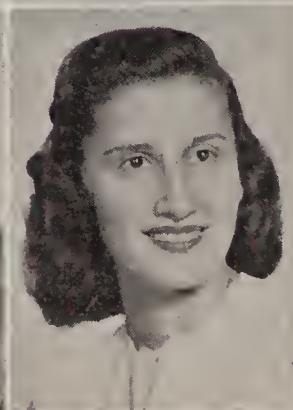
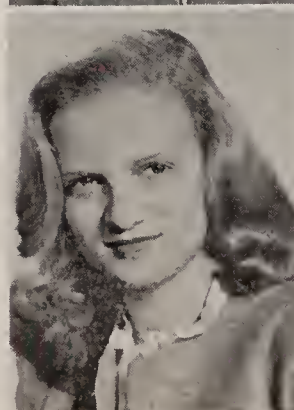
"Gitty" . . . a petite miss with a cute face and a cute figure, too . . . very quiet and reserved . . . enjoys collecting postcards from various states . . . plans include secretarial work.

Girls' League.

#### CYNTHIA GARTNER

"Cynth" . . . the girl with strawberry blonde hair . . . always a pleasant word . . . possessor of a soft, sweet voice . . . painting a special interest . . . undecided about future career.

Clubs: Biology, C. H. L. S.; Girls' League.



#### ELISE GLADSTONE

Interesting and friendly individual . . . easy to like . . . collects both classical and popular records . . . plans to attend University Hospital in Philadelphia.

Girls' League; Lookout Editorial Board; Ingleside Club.

#### AUDREY GAVENSKY

"Red" . . . a hearty laugh her trademark . . . Titian-colored hair her crowning glory . . . attracted by all kinds of athletics . . . another secretary in the making.

Girls' League; Girls' Sports.



#### PRISCILLA GLATER

"Prissy" . . . curly dark hair and matching bright eyes . . . many extraordinary musical abilities . . . a rare talent for the piano . . . popular and classical records included in collection.

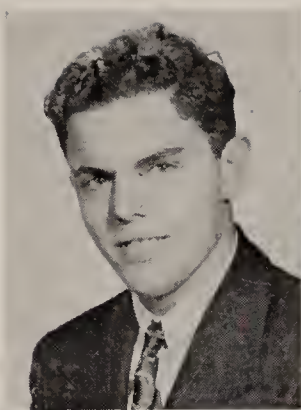
Choirs: A Cappella, Senior; Bands: All-State, Weaver; Clubs: Glee, Record; Girls' League.



### LEONARD GLAZIER

"Lennie" . . . husky build, dark complexion . . . friendly and cheerful . . . interested in photography and women . . . a good student who ought to make good in his chosen field, pharmacy.

Camera Club; Choir; Intramural Football.



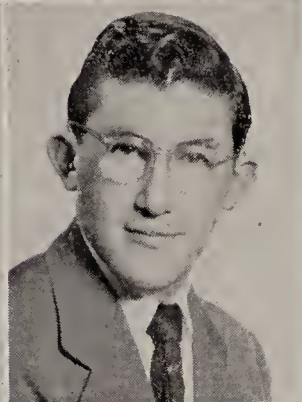
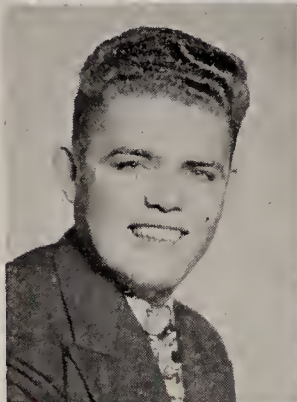
### ELAINE GOLDEN

Soft brown hair and a pleasant voice . . . this girl really gets around . . . skilled in art work . . . enjoyed Weaver, but, oh, those swinging doors!

Choir; Clubs: Business, Glee; Girls' League.

### EDWARD GLOCK

"Eddie" . . . brown wavy hair . . . girls, his favorite "study" at Weaver . . . very active in outside activities . . . stamp, coin, and matchbook collection . . . Armed Forces beckon.



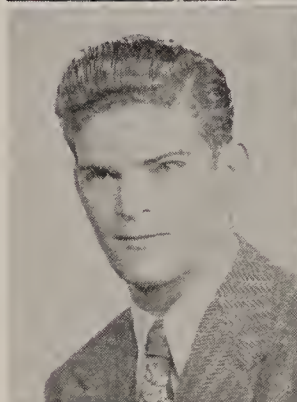
### BURTON GOLDMAN

"The little clown" . . . small but packed full of devilish tricks . . . powerful stature . . . eyes and dark wavy hair are magnetic attractions to opposite sex . . . hopes to be radio announcer!

### DAVID GOLDBERG

"Rube" . . . good-natured, diligent . . . quiet at times . . . sports enthusiast . . . ardent admirer of female sex . . . plans for science or accounting career.

German Club; Squads: Football, Track.



### FAY GOLDSTEIN

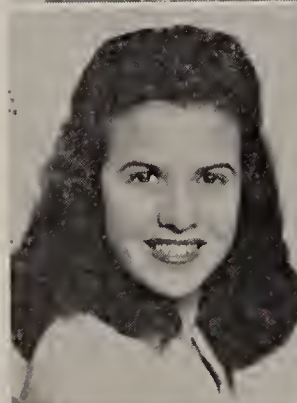
Lustrous hair forms a halo about star-like eyes and smooth complexion . . . accomplishments include dancing and ice skating . . . friendly animation, harmonious with spirit of classmates.

Choir; Clubs: Business, Glee; Girls' League.

### JEAN GOLDBERG

A sight to feast your eyes upon . . . midnight lurks in her lovely locks . . . dancing eyes and flashing smile have excited countless males . . . many a wolf has eyes for "Jeanie!"

Choir; Clubs: Business, Glee; Girls' League; Jr. Prom Committee.



### ROSE GOLDSTEIN

Sincere and cooperative . . . ardent participant in the Girl Scouts and many sport activities . . . the future presents a career as a medical secretary.

Girls' League; Goodwill Formal Committee; Leaders' Corps.

### SANDRA GOLDBERG

"Sandy" . . . pleasing disposition . . . senior year her favorite . . . interested in photography . . . friendly with everyone . . . good luck in your plans for business school.

Girls' League.



### PHYLLIS GORDON

"Phyl" . . . a neat dresser . . . sweet and pleasant ways . . . a conscientious and helpful student . . . enjoys dancing and piano playing . . . plans include a medical secretarial course at a junior college.

Clubs: Business, French (Treas.); Honor Society (Sec.); Lookout Typist; Portal Typist.



*A Toast to Weaver in 1960*





Choral Group — Elihu Channin, Arlyne Greenberg, Bob Rudner and Frieda Samler.  
"This is always."



Miss Phillips in Fourth Period Study  
2nd Lunch — Boys:  
"They're all lined up at the gate —  
They're off!"



Chemistry — Alvin Hayes, Dan Gottlieb, and Jordan Muchnick.  
Hayes: "But Mr. Walsh told me . . ."



Mr. Crowell, Atom Bomb and Einstein.  
Mr. Crowell: "I'm telling you, Albert, it's  
no use."

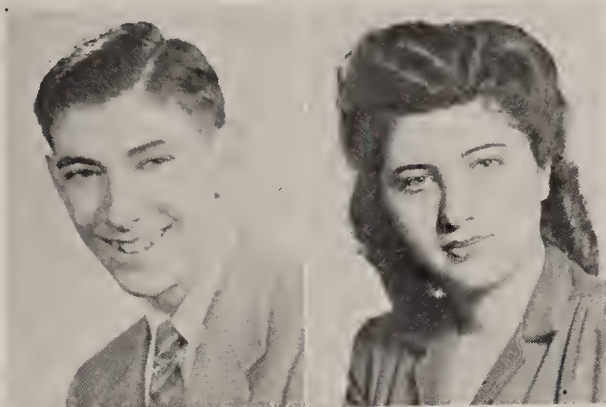
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### DANIEL GOTTLIEB

Loyal, industrious . . . famed as successful editor of the **Lookout** . . . known and liked by many . . . pianist of note . . . madman at right times . . . sports, music, model airplanes enthusiast . . . success looks his way!

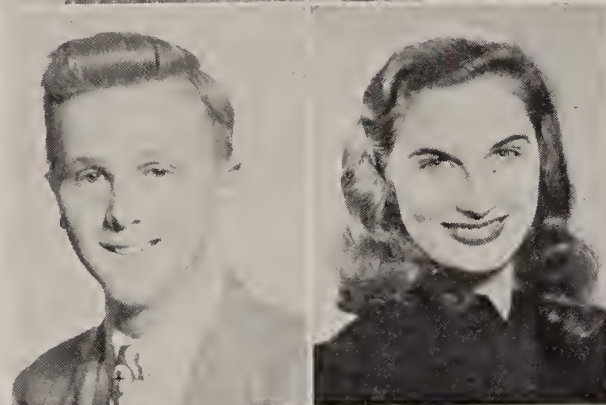
Biology Club (Treas.); Junior Usher; **Lookout** Editor-in-Chief; Honor Society; Quill and Scroll.



### KENNETH GRAHAM

"Dick" . . . sharp wit and genial friendliness form a radiant personality . . . unruly blond thatch and blue eyes unfailingly spell "Devil" . . . always haunted by a mob of girls . . . "Beavers" in virtually every school activity.

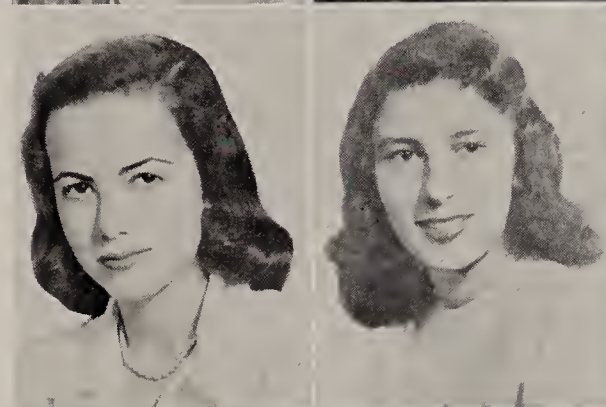
Boys' State; Choir; Cheerleader; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Chairman Reception Committee.



### ARLYNE GREENBERG

"Arl" . . . femme fatale . . . expressive eyes, peaches and cream complexion, and tantalizing voice, the downfall of many a male . . . never flustered . . . an apt conversationalist . . . has a serious side, too.

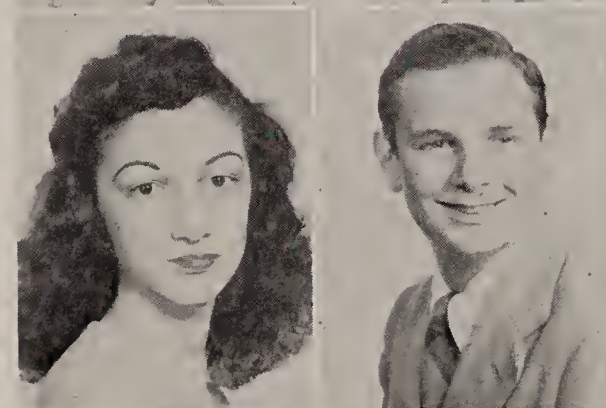
Choir; Clubs: Biology, C.H.L.S. (Treas.), Glee; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League; **Lookout** Editorial Board.



### DOLORES GREGORY

"Dolly" . . . a merry miss always ready for a gab fest . . . cuts a neat figure on roller skates . . . slightly mad about horseback riding . . . loved Glee Club (or was it Mr. Green, "Dolly"?).

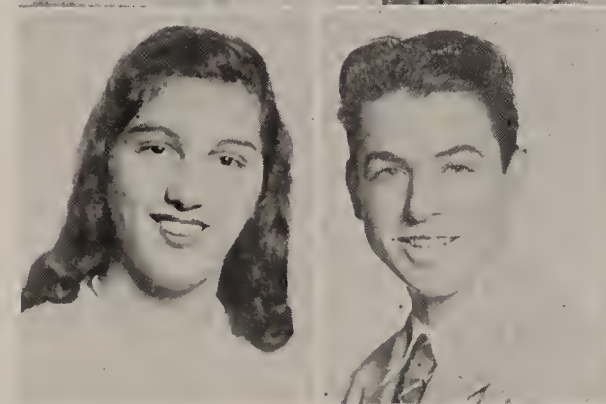
Choir; Girls' League; Glee Club.



### IDA GUARINO

"I" . . . a happy-go-lucky young lady known for her ready laugh . . . interests include dancing and music . . . hopes to become a medical secretary . . . spent three best years of life at Weaver!

Business Club; Choir; Girls' League.



### PEARL GUTTIN

Pearl . . . friendly as all outdoors . . . loaded with personality . . . usually seen with "Betty" . . . a whiz at the typewriter . . . will make some guy a fine secretary . . . 'nuff said.

Business Club; **Lookout** Business Board.

### PEARL HABER

"Slim" . . . strictly sleek, smooth, and sophisticated . . . beautiful figure and gorgeous clothes . . . ideal model . . . lovely hair, lovely eyes, lovely personality . . . lovely!

Art-Crafts Club; Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; Reception Committee.

### JANET HARRIS

Attracts the stronger sex with long-lashed eyes and shining dark hair . . . model figure garbed in the latest fashions . . . exceptional scholastic record . . . combines both beauty and intelligence.

Clubs: Biology, C.H.L.S., French, Record; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Honor Society; Girls' League.

### SEYMOUR HARRIS

"Peachy" . . . look what a south wind blew in! . . . this Virginian easily acclimated himself to not-so-frigid Weaver . . . a jovial manner has made many Beaver friends . . . headed for U. of Virginia and Southern sunshine again.

Intramural Football.

### JACOB HASKELL

"Jake" . . . slim and fun-loving . . . his smile a permanent feature . . . usually seen with his hair in his eyes . . . another of Weaver's sport fans . . . loves a good baseball game.

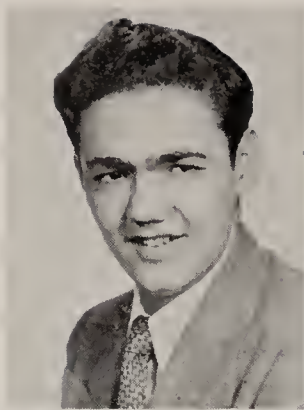
Cross-Country Squad; Record Club.

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### CHARLES HATTEN

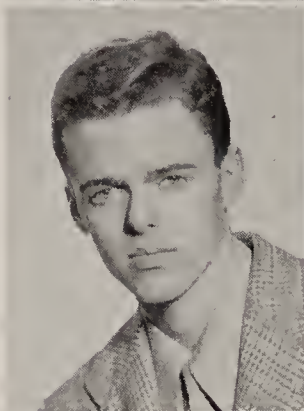
"Charlie" . . . black-haired giant with a friendly grin . . . really wonderful on roller skates . . . Uncle Sam's Navy will call him soon . . . will really miss his "shop" classes. Record Club.



### ALVIN HAYES

"Al" . . . tall and slim . . . quick on the camera trigger . . . likes the outdoors and Wethersfield . . . a great one for coining jokes . . . has a friendly grin . . . a future engineer.

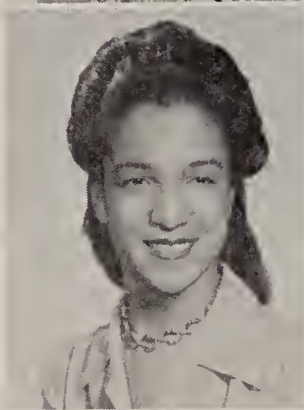
Choir; Clubs: Camera (Pres.), Glee, Radio; T. B. Board; Honor Society; **Lookout** Photography Editor; Boys' State; Portal Board; Jr. Usher.



### ELEANOR HAYES

"Butch" . . . sparkling personality . . . familiar figure in sports . . . likes trying hand at drawing . . . typing also an interest . . . looks forward to clerical work.

Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; Girls' Sports.



### DOLORES HENRY

One of Weaver's "little girls" . . . enjoys group chirping . . . art and home economics really hold interest . . . hopes to attend a school of art or economics.

Choir; Glee Club; Girls' League.



### JUNE HERRON

"Bangs" . . . smart and inquisitive . . . obedient "slave" of the **Lookout** . . . usually seen with a pile of books . . . music and writing, her interests . . . newspapers take warning! —here she comes.

Girls' League; Honor Society; Latin Club; **Lookout** Club Editor; Valedictorian.



### NANCY HIGGINS

"Holly" . . . short and blue-eyed . . . had a wonderful time with teachers and students . . . a poster woman . . . can't decide about the future . . . how about singing, "Holly"?

Choirs: A Cappella, Senior; Clubs: Art-Crafts (Pres.), Glee; Girls' League; **Lookout** Typist; Reception Committee.



### RHODA HIMMELBLAU

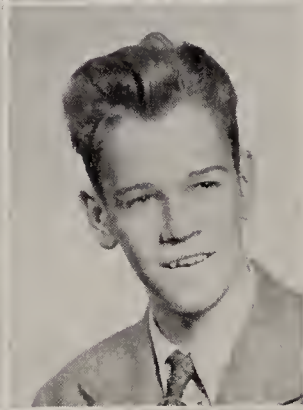
"Rho" . . . interested in everyone . . . enjoys her friends to the utmost . . . adapts herself easily to any situation . . . admired Weaver's friendly spirit.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



### RAY HINCHLIFFE

"Ray" . . . blond and very cute . . . girls intrigued by his shyness . . . the silent type . . . an excellent horseman . . . does what he wants when he wants to!



### LUCILLE HOLT

"Lou Ann" . . . a red-haired, pretty, and popular member of class . . . has a host of friends . . . interested in singing and horseback riding.

Choir; Clubs: Glee, Ingleside.



### IRWIN HONIGBERG

Irwin . . . tall and thin . . . quite a thatch of black hair . . . never content to allow a teacher to rest in peace! . . . has many friends . . . no comment on years at Weaver! !

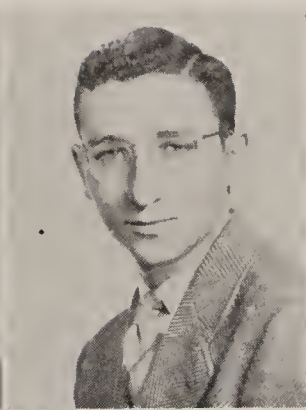
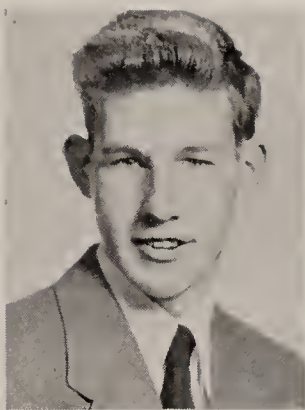




### WILLIAM HORAN

Tall and blond . . . always a smile . . . "Bill" liked driving, horseback riding, and corny jokes . . . always well dressed . . . senior year was his favorite . . . only complaint—homework.

Matinee Dance Committee.



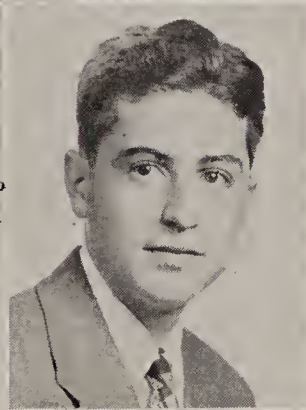
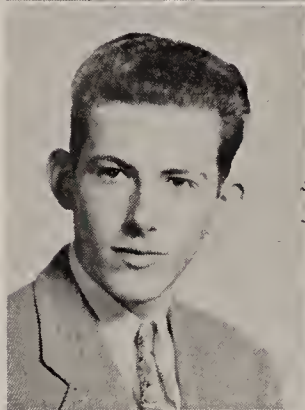
### ABRAHAM HURWITZ

"Abe" . . . quiet and shy . . . makes as much noise as a dropped feather . . . great baseball enthusiast . . . always seen on the sandlot . . . good prospect for Uncle Sam.

### JOSEPH HURWITZ

"Joe" . . . famed member of Weaver's argumentative set . . . political fanatic and accomplished scientist . . . set ideas and ambitions concerning females . . . French teachers his bane! . . . latent capabilities may come to life in law.

Chess Club (Sec.); **Lookout** Editorial Board; **Portal** Business Board; Cross-Country Mgr.; Track Mgr.



### WILLIAM HORNISH

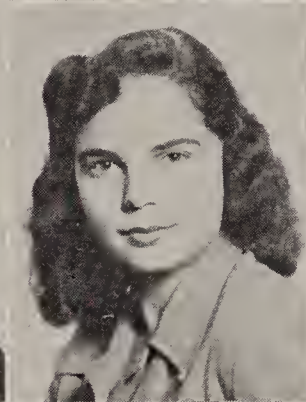
"Bill" . . . tall and slim with a crop of wavy brown hair . . . evident interest in the "fems" . . . showed fine school spirit . . . future in engineering.

Band; Cheerleader; Chess Club; Track Team.

### MARJORIE HURWITZ

"Margie" . . . cute and acute . . . adorable in a bathing suit or skirt and sweater! . . . bewitching little nose . . . exceptional mental prowess lies behind the devilish gleam in her eyes.

Clubs: French, Latin, Record; Girls' League; **Portal** Board; Honor Society; Matinee Dance Committee.



### ENID HOSMER

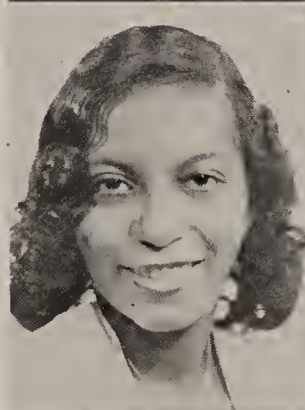
"Hosie" . . . short, cute brunette . . . friendly personality . . . blushes easily . . . popular with both sexes . . . interested in dancing and skating . . . a future business-woman . . . a sure success.

Girls' League.

### MURIEL HURWITZ

Cute bundle of blue eyes, freckles, and tawny hair . . . round and ruddy cheeks are extra assets . . . enthusiastic dancer . . . full of fun.

Clubs: Biology, C.H.L.S.; Girls' League; **Lookout** Circulation Staff.



### RACHEL HOWARD

"Ray" . . . nice personality . . . enjoys reading good books . . . record collecting and dancing provide fun and pleasure . . . plans to become future Florence Nightingale.

Choir; Girls' League.

### DORIS HUEMPEL

"Dodie" . . . beautiful blonde hair and baby-blue eyes . . . pleasant smile with matching disposition . . . Junior Achievement radio personality . . . perceptive mind . . . tactful in the schedule room!

Clubs: Biology, German (Pres.); Girls' League; Honor Society; **Lookout** Alumni Editor; **Portal** Board; Reception Committee.



### MYRON HURWITZ

"Mike" . . . neat dresser . . . interests are tennis, photography, and women . . . future plans—studying architecture in college . . . found Weaver "tolerable," but enjoyed study periods.

Track Squad.



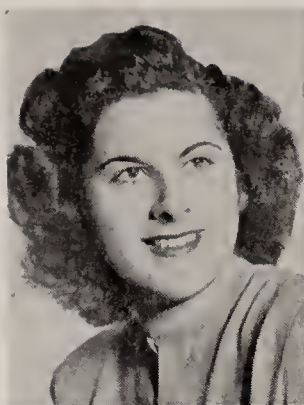
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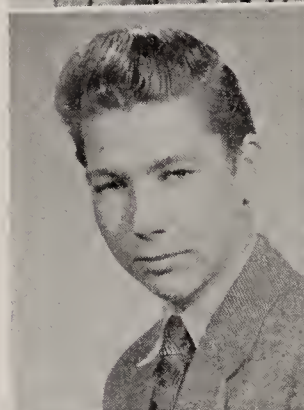
### RUTH HURWITZ

Attractive dark eyes and black hair . . . easy to get along with . . . enjoys a good laugh . . . loves to read . . . journalism on her schedule at college. Camera Club; Girls' League.



### PATRICK HYLAND

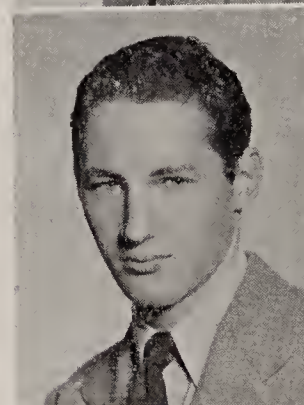
"Pat" . . . small and shy . . . the echo of the English Class . . . interested in sports and aeronautics . . . plans for future — an educated hobo!



### JOHN JACKSON

"Johnny" . . . tall, slim, good-looking . . . makes many a female pulse throb faster . . . modest, sincere, friendly . . . a crack trackster . . . the "golden toe" in football.

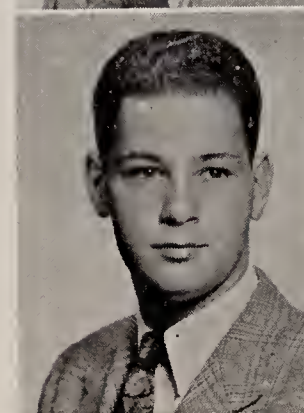
Teams: Football, Track; Class Marshal.



### BERNARD JACOBSON

"Bernie" . . . big, good-natured, affable . . . a future political bombshell . . . unpretentious concerning his overload of school activities . . . a "close shave" once threatened his social future! . . . will add glory to Weaver's fine reputation.

Clubs: Biology (Pres.), French; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Intramural Sports; Jr. Usher; Look-out Editorial Board; Portal Board; Projection Squad (Pres.); Quill and Scroll; Nominating Committee; Class President; Honor Society; Track Team.



### EDWIN JACOBSON

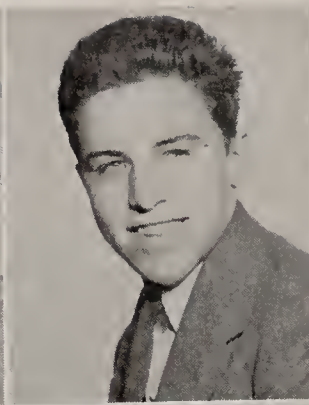
"Ed" . . . suave, quiet, well-mannered . . . accomplished jitterbug . . . sheik of Araby . . . interested in art, sports, and women . . . famed for drawings of pin-up girls . . . art school ahead.



### EDMUND JENKS

"Shorty" . . . popular with both sexes . . . unusually good personality . . . one of the "Y" Friday night gang and one of the boys on the football team . . . thinks of "Carrots" as a nice dish.

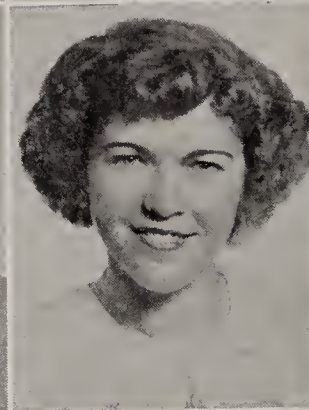
Football Team; Leaders' Corps (Pres.); Art-Crafts Club; Matinee Dance Committee.



### CLAIRE JOLLY

"Pugnose" . . . abundance of pep and dauntless school spirit make Claire a true Weaverite . . . a cheering squad in herself . . . ever helpful . . . hairdressing career ahead.

Cheerleader; Girls' League.



### RUFUS JONES

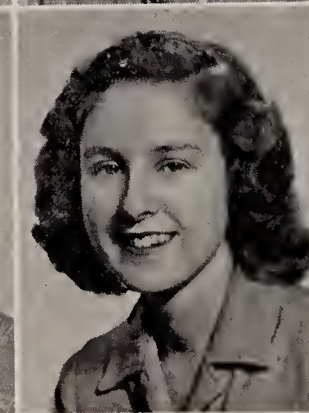
Tall and always smiling, that's Rufus . . . happy-go-lucky . . . his liking of the opposite sex ought to aid him in his hobby — dancing.



### MERNA JOSEPH

Tiny and clever . . . accomplishes whatever she undertakes . . . drawing, dancing, and collecting postcards, her wide range of interests . . . disliked more than one test a day (who doesn't?).

French Club; Girls' League; Honor Society.



### IRENE KAGAN

One of the quiet Weaverites . . . admired the friendly teachers and the interesting assemblies . . . another doodler and sketcher . . . her aim, an efficient secretary.

Choir; Clubs: Biology, Business; Girls' League; Honor Society.



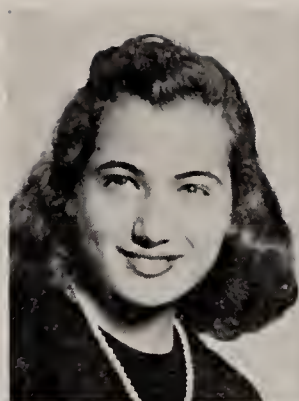
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#### KAYLEEN KAGAN

"Kay" . . . quiet and charming . . . a friendly young lady with looks . . . seldom without a smile or cheering word . . . a favorite and true friend to all who know her.

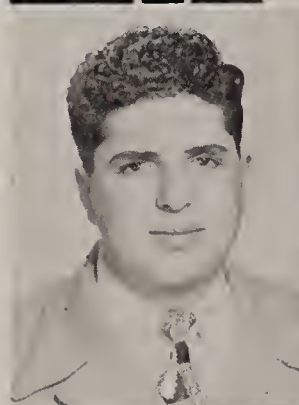
Choir; Clubs: Biology, Business.



#### SUMNER KALIN

"Skinny" . . . Weaver's edition of the Goodyear blimpl . . . good-natured, care-free, always full of pep . . . usually making his share of noise, whether in the band or out! . . . hopes to make a quick million and retire!

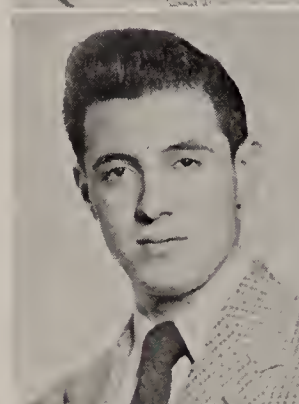
Band.



#### ROBERT KARASIK

"Bob" . . . husky build . . . never has trouble combing his hair . . . congenial and quiet . . . always ready for a nap . . . a future Coast Guardsman.

Football Squad.



#### SAUL KARP

"Sol" . . . slim and dignified . . . noted for his flashing smile and winning personality . . . entertaining sense of humor . . . outstanding singer . . . definite executive abilities . . . co-founder of the Record Club.

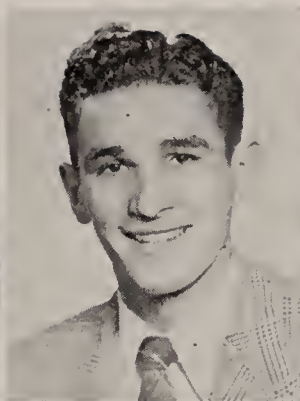
Choirs: A Cappella, Senior; Clubs: Biology, Glee (Vice-Pres.), Record (Pres.); Jr. Prom Committee; Foreign Policy Ass'n; **Lookout** Business Board.



#### ADELINE KAUFMAN

"Add" . . . dark wavy hair and dark eyes added to a cute upturned nose . . . always laughing, full of the devil! . . . excellent student and ardent sports fan . . . future ambitions include college life.

Clubs: C.H.L.S., German; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League; **Lookout** Editorial Board.



#### MARTIN KAUFMAN

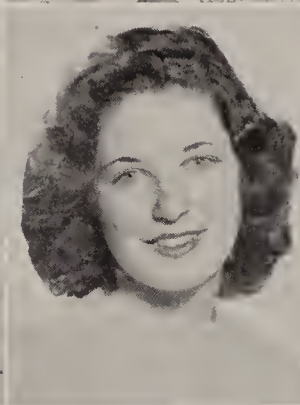
"Marty" . . . tall, dark with wavy hair . . . avid football and basketball spectator and player . . . has a way with the girls! . . . future lawyer.

Teams: Basketball, Football; Matinee Dance Committee.

#### SANDRA KAUFMAN

"Sandie" . . . excellent posture reveals a streamlined figure clothed in smart attire . . . singular poise and well-modulated voice denote a flair for dramatics . . . sincere friend.

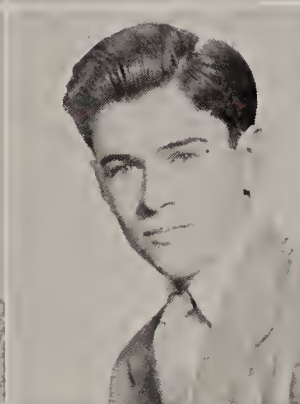
Clubs: Biology, C.H.L.S., French, Record; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League; Honor Society.



#### WILLIAM KELLEHER

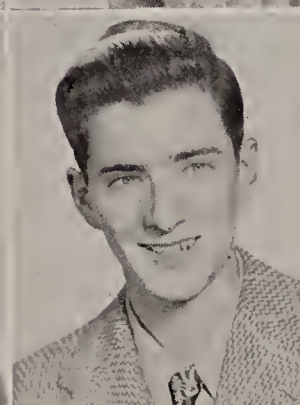
"Bill" . . . a swell fellow . . . makes up in vigor what he lacks in size . . . popular, especially in music department . . . very interested in music . . . certain to make good.

Biology Club; Bands: All-State, New-England, Weaver (Pres.); Orchestra.



#### PETER KELLY

"Pete" . . . a swell personality and pleasing manner . . . enjoyed Weaver and made many friends . . . quiet but intense interest in opposite sex . . . headed for business school.



#### DANIEL KENNY

Quiet and conscientious . . . "Dan" jingled many a coin in the cafeteria . . . bowling and golf his pastimes . . . enjoyed math with Mr. Carrier . . . college-bound.

Honor Society; Junior Usher; Portal Board; Historian.



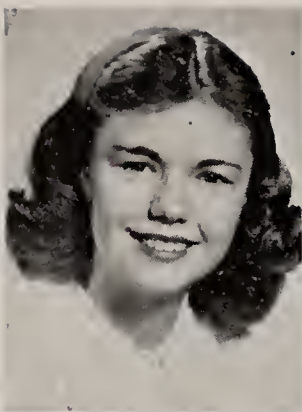
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### LUCILLE KERINS

"Toot" . . . cute with plenty of school spirit . . . always laughing . . . identified at games by her cheering and bright slacks . . . one of Weaver's models.

Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; Jr. Prom Committee.



### MARCIA KURTZ

"Marty" . . . wavy blonde hair . . . recognized by an adorable lisp and constant smile . . . good-natured . . . future plans include becoming a medical secretary . . . good luck, "Marty"! . . .

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.

### DELORES KOPLOWITZ

"Lolly" . . . tall and stately . . . takes a special interest in collecting dance records . . . one of our stronger basketball fans . . . heading for secretarial work in a business office.

Girls' League; Leaders' Corps.



### ELEANOR LABINGER

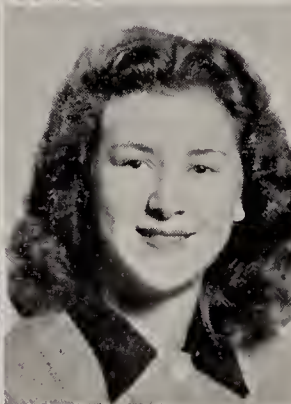
"Ellie" . . . long dark lashes encompass flashing eyes . . . model figure and scintillating personality entice many masculine eyes and hearts . . . noted for her silly giggle!

Clubs: Biology, Record; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League.

### BETTY KOVALSKY

"Bet" . . . shining jet black hair and "Dark Eyes" . . . adorable giggle . . . especially enjoys dancing . . . adept at designing clothes . . . high school highlight—the Thanksgiving Game.

Clubs: Business, Record; Committees: Goodwill, Jr. Prom; Girls' League.



### RENINE LACKER

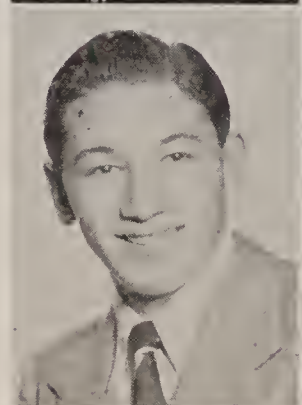
"Renee" . . . tall and fair . . . a friendly smile for all . . . cute New York-ish accent . . . swimming enthusiast . . . hopes for secretarial position . . . will always remember the swinging doors!

Business Club; Girls' League.

### BURTON KRAMER

"Nails" . . . newcomer from Middletown . . . an engaging conversationalist . . . interested in music . . . enjoyed Weaver, especially demerit system! . . . a future dentist.

Band; Orchestra.



### PAUL LAFLAMME

Happy-go-lucky, laughing "Frenchy" . . . has the scientific embryo in him . . . craves the outdoors with hunting and fishing tops . . . very activity conscious . . . leaves Weaver with only nice things to say about it!

Football Squad; Jr. Usher; Jr. T. B. Board (Pres.); Radio Club (Pres.).

### ELAINE KRAVSOW

Girl of many talents . . . melodic voice widely praised . . . witty and extremely abundant humor . . . inspired writer of prose and clever poetry . . . possessor of enviable pearl-white teeth.

Choirs: A Cappella, Senior; Clubs: Biology, C.H.L.S., Glee; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League; Honor Society; Look-out Editorial Board.



### EVELYN LAND

"Eckie" . . . curly dark hair and twinkling brown eyes . . . cute grin . . . makes good use of collection of dance records, especially by Woody Herman . . . typical Weaver miss.

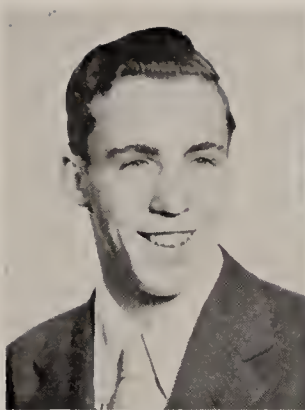
Girls' League.



#### ADRIAN LA PIERRE

Shy on the surface but full of spirit underneath . . . art and mechanical drawing, his field . . . sharpened his wits on the ice with Weaver gals . . . best of luck!

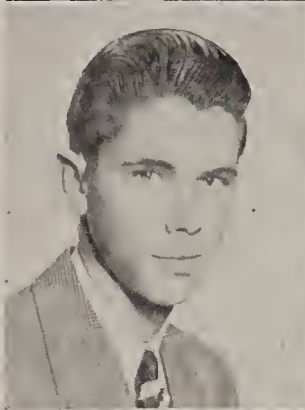
Art-Crafts Club.



#### ALVIN LAPUK

"Al" . . . tall, slim, and admired . . . sincere in all his endeavors . . . loves and plays music . . . spends spare time composing musical scores . . . the "Face" in the window at Whitney's.

All-New England Chorus; Choir; Glee Club; **Lookout** Circulation Board.



#### MARIA LARAIA

Radiant dark eyes gleam in a setting of long lashes . . . perpetual sunny smile displays soft dimples . . . enthusiastic roter at Weaver's athletic contests.

Clubs: Business, Ingleside; (Sec.); Girls' League; Honor Society; **Portal** Business Board, Secretary.



#### RITA LASSOFF

Petite and cute with oh, such big brown eyes . . . always full of pep . . . pretty picture in a sailboat . . . future intentions include college, and then?

Clubs: Biology, Business, Record; Girls' League; **Lookout** Typist; **Portal** Typist; Jr. Prom Committee.



#### ELAINE LATER

"Elaine the fair, Elaine the lovable" . . . curly light-brown hair and oh, such devilish blue eyes!! . . . good-natured and entertaining . . . has a genius for jokes . . . bound to succeed in college . . .

Clubs: Biology, French; Girls' League; Honor Society.



#### ISABELLE LATTANZIO

Keen wit . . . sharp comebacks . . . fastidious dresser . . . lovely hair . . . neat as a pin . . . a good sport, always . . . easy to get along with . . . enjoyed art class the most.

Girls' League; Leaders' Corps.



#### MARILYN LAVOVITCH

"Midge" . . . another fan for Mr. Green . . . music and food her favorites . . . homework often discouraged her . . . especially enjoyed her band work.

Band; Girls' League; Orchestra.



#### BETSY LEBOWITZ

"Bets" . . . dark hair set off by sparkling eyes and a bright smile . . . lively gait and personality to match . . . talented in fashion illustration . . . enthusiastic roter at Weaver's football games. . .

French Club; Girls' League; **Lookout** Typist.



#### IRMA LEBOWITZ

"Irm" . . . tall, slender, and graceful . . . long chestnut hair and vivacious blue eyes . . . hubba! hubba! . . . attracts many a masculine eye . . . impulsive wit provides gaiety for both classmates and beaux.

Clubs: Biology, French, Record; Girls' League; Committees: Jr. Prom, Nominating.



#### HELEN LEE

"Slim" . . . agile and light on her feet . . . faultlessly neat . . . her personality highlighted by a jocular vein . . . sincere in all her dealings.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



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Miss Regan in 227 study hall  
"Third Period Earaches."



Dickie Graham  
"Troubles."



Before school — Richie Ziff, Eddie Weintraub, Bill Westley, Lenny Glazier and Harvey Torchinsky  
"World Peace in the Making."

Gilda Levin, Morty Weinberg, Dave Corn and Monroe Scherzer  
"It's only a Kleenex, suckers!"



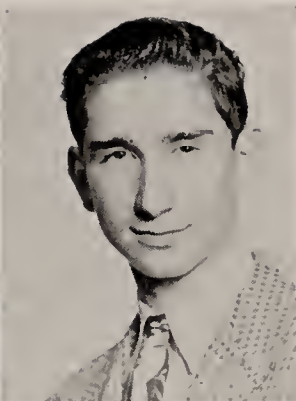
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### THOMAS LEE

"Tommy" . . . wonderful dancer . . . very pleasing personality . . . average in stature but perfectly built . . . good in all athletics . . . popular with both sexes . . . sharp wit . . . sharp in everything!

Leaders' Corps; Jr. Prom Chairman; Teams; Football, Capt., Baseball, Basketball, Track.



### RICHARD LEVIN

"Lev" . . . abundant energy . . . always good for a laugh . . . a real Red Sox supporter . . . monkeys with radios in his spare time . . . good athlete.

Clubs: Biology, Camera, Radio (Sec.-Treas.).

### MARION LEFKIN

"Lefty" . . . blonde hair and blue eyes rate a whistle anywhere . . . lively young lady . . . unmistakable laugh distinguished at football games and dances alike . . . a sincere friend.

Girls' League.



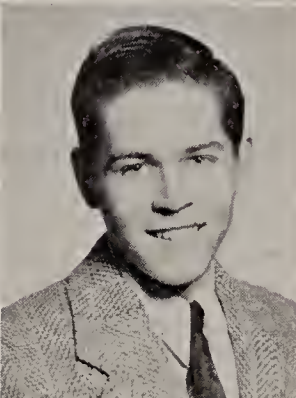
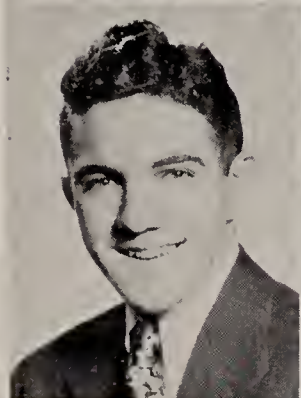
### AUDREY LEVINE

"Honey" . . . dark, curly hair envied by many . . . known for her summer vacations . . . easy to get along with . . . takes all events in her stride.

Girls' League.

### DANIEL LEON

"Danny" . . . first year at Weaver . . . spent two years at Riverside Military Academy in Georgia . . . liked Weaver better! . . . quiet and polite . . . plans to major in Business Administration.



### WILLIAM LEVITSKY

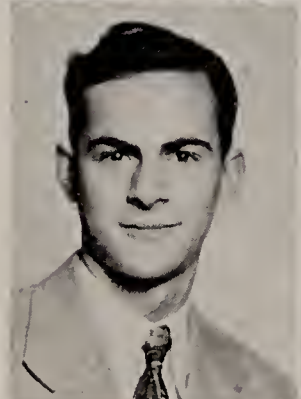
A quiet, unassuming attitude, combined with a keen sense of humor, makes "Bill" "tops" displays special interest in model airplane construction . . . a mainstay in the Boys' Leaders' Corps.

Airplane Club; Leaders' Corps (Sec.)

### HERBERT LESSOW

"Herb" . . . tall and dark . . . a true friend and really swell fellow . . . many interests and abilities . . . dabbles in politics, singing, sports . . . no stranger to fairer sex . . . looks forward to career in medicine . . . sure success.

Choirs: A Cappella, Senior; Clubs: Biology (Sec.), Glee; German; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Jr. Usher; **Lookout** Associate Editor; Honor Society; Quill and Scroll.



### MILDRED LEWIS

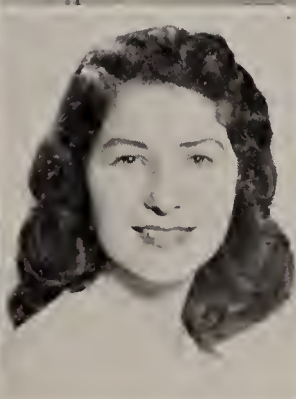
"Milly" . . . vivacious smile and giggle . . . always on the go . . . a born leader . . . plans to enter Hampton Institute for nursing career.

Leaders' Corps; Girls' League; Ingleside Club.

### GILDA LEVIN

Tall, dark, and sumptuous . . . the gal with the deep voice . . . her flashing glance, friendly and interesting . . . extremely attractive to the opposite sex . . . best wishes to a swell pal.

Choir; Clubs: Glee, Record; Girls' League; **Lookout** Typist.



### RITA LIFTON

"Ri" . . . has rare combination of looks, sincerity, and friendliness . . . popular with both sexes . . . excellent dancer . . . shows good taste in clothes, music, and books . . . "Lucky" at bridge.

Choir; Clubs: C. H. L. S., French (Sec.); Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League; Honor Society; Jr. Prom Committee; Portal Board; Historian.



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### ALBERT LINDEN

Tall, calm, quiet . . . Adonis-like build . . . outstanding athlete in football, basketball, and baseball . . . liked by entire student body . . . admired by fairer sex . . . good student . . . college coming . . . best of luck, "Al."

A. A. Pres.; Jr. Prom Committee; Leaders' Corps.

### PATRICIA LITTLE

"Pat" or "Dimples" . . . that tall girl with the vim and vigor . . . her warm congeniality made her everybody's friend . . . interested in music and sports . . . found it hard to get places on time.

Choirs; A Cappella, Senior; Clubs: Glee, Record; Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; **Look-out** Business Board; Girls' Sports.

### ELEANOR LITTMAN

Possessor of a shy smile . . . an ambitious and industrious worker . . . intends to utilize her artistic talents in the future . . . troubled by those Latin translations!

Art-Crafts Club; Choir; Girls' League.

### MARSHALL LONDON

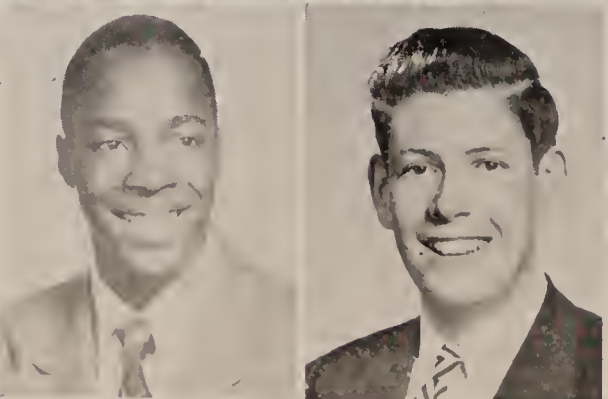
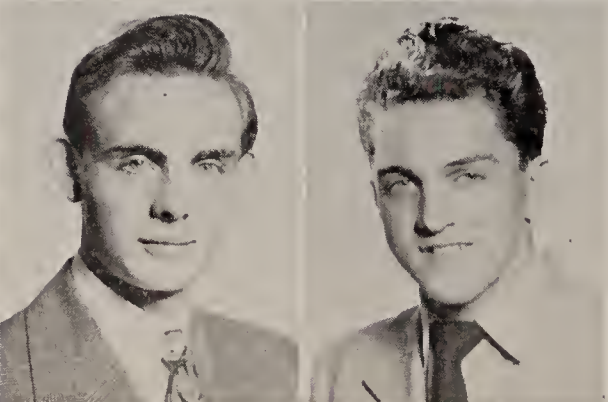
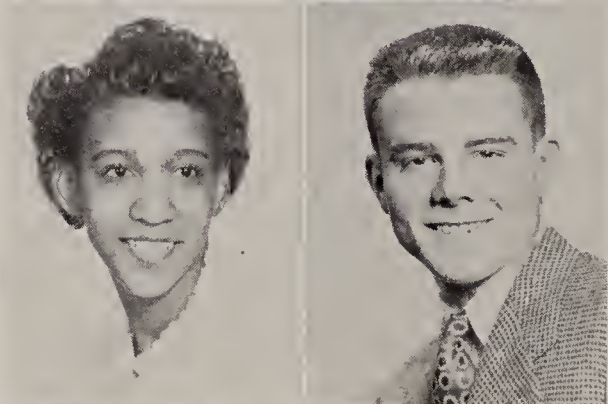
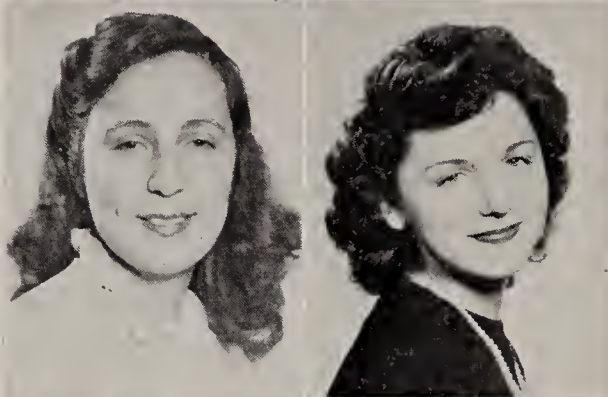
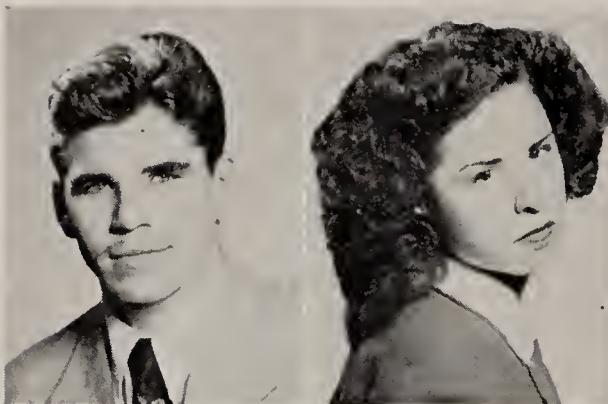
"Marsh" . . . tall, slim, blond . . . flash in science subjects . . . Benny Goodman-like accomplishments . . . good-natured, friendly . . . definitely a lady-killer . . . enjoys organizational work . . . potential Pierre Curie . . . plans college.

Band; Biology Club; Intramural Sports; Orchestra.

### BURTON LOWE

"Sloote" . . . good-humored bundle of fun . . . never without a smile . . . a crack trackman . . . all-round sportsman . . . bewildered by Mr. Carrier's patience!

Choir; Leaders' Corps; Teams: Track, Cross-Country.



### THERESA LOWELL

"Terry" or "Red" . . . winning smile . . . her russet-colored hair the envy of many Weaverites . . . avid interest in roller skating and dancing.

Ingleside Club; Girls' League.

### CECELE LUCENTE

"Chick" . . . very cute and petite with numerous friends . . . usually seen at the Skating Palace . . . smooth dancer . . . and she sings too . . . always ready for a good time . . . really a smooth chick.

Choir; Clubs: Biology, Glee, Ingleside; Girls' League; Good-will Formal Committee.

### DEWEY LUND

Genial and friendly . . . sports a butch . . . enjoys hunting, fishing, outdoor life . . . mainstay of football and track teams . . . has musical ability . . . well liked by both sexes . . . future plans — college.

Band; Jr. Prom Committee; Teams: Football, Basketball, Track; Honor Society.

### NICHOLAS MACRES

Idol of many Weaver girls . . . lovely curly hair and beautiful eyes . . . perfect gentleman . . . nice dresser . . . good natured, always wearing a pleasing smile.

Basketball Team.

### LARRY MALITZ

"Larry" . . . tall and good looking . . . swell dancer . . . a definite lady's man . . . noted as an outstanding tenor . . . has unusual ability as an artist.

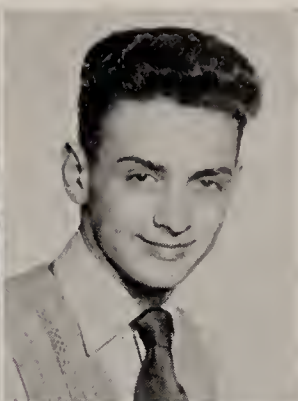
Choirs; All-State, A Cappella, Senior, All-New England; Clubs: Biology, Art-Crafts, Glee, Record; Jr. Prom Committee; Jr. Usher; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Honor Society.



### GERTRUDE MANEVITZ

"Gertie" . . . what a gal! . . . will giggle at almost anything . . . keeps friends in constant uproar . . . great music (especially piano) and dancing enthusiast . . . future plans include college.

Girls' League.



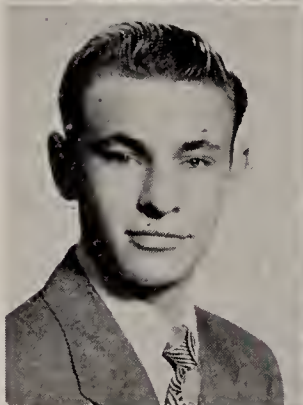
### JAMES MARTINELLI

"Jimmy" . . . enjoys dancing . . . likes to take automobiles apart . . . often seen in a cream coupe with Jean . . . energetic sports fan . . . more fun!

### EDWIN MANSON

"Ed" . . . the boy with the uncontrollable hair . . . interested in all youth activities . . . crystal-clear voice . . . expert in "ranking" session . . . future livewire — electrician, that is!

Biology Club; Intramural Sports; Leaders' Corps.



### FRANCIS MAYOCK

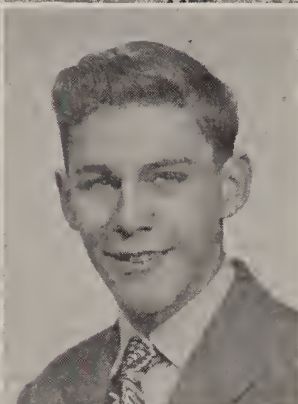
"Fran" . . . lackadaisical voice and manner . . . high ambitions . . . appreciates classical music and enjoys dancing and roller skating . . . desirous of an M. D. degree.

Record Club.

### SAUL MARCUS

Known for prowess in German . . . Saul's interest in stamps is closely related to his zeal for languages . . . hopes for future in foreign trade . . . impressed and displeased by demerit system!

German Club.



### HAROLD MCCAIN

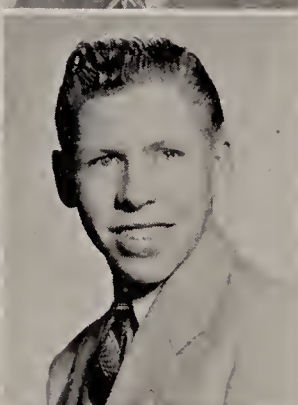
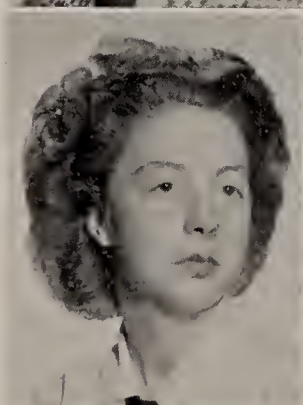
"Mac" . . . good-looking . . . never in a hurry or excited . . . attracted by social affairs . . . Weaver was "enjoyable but tough" . . . will seek a job studying engines.

Biology Club; Cheerleader; Intramural Sports; Reception Committee.

### THERESA MARKESE

"T" or "Terry" . . . vim, vigor, and vitality . . . sports enthusiast . . . curly red hair, envy of the girls, delight of the boys . . . freckles galore and very cute pug nose.

Girls' League; Girls' Sports.



### THOMAS MCKENNA

"Red" . . . easy to get along with . . . noted for his red hair, blue eyes, and freckles . . . cool and calm at all times . . . takes things as they come . . . everything except history suited him perfectly.

### MARILYN MARKO

"Marko" . . . New York blonde bombshell . . . twinkling devilish eyes and matching personality . . . always in a hurry . . . a welcomed addition to the class.

Girls' League.



### MIRIAM MCLEOD

"Mimi" . . . long, wavy hair . . . sprinkle of freckles and has stars in her eyes . . . musical interests and abilities . . . accomplished in dancing and bowling.

Choir; Girls' League; Record Club.



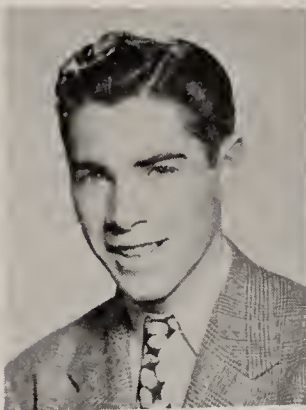
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#### RAYMOND McTEAGUE

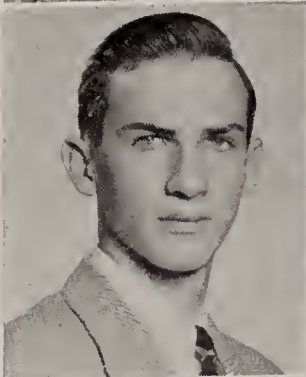
"Ray" . . . easy-going nature . . . many friends . . . nothing bothers him . . . quiet until you get to know him . . . thought Weaver was swell but without study halls it would have been even better!



#### CHARLES MEADOW

"Charlie" . . . tall, thin, quiet . . . sports enthusiast . . . never-say-die half-miler . . . good-natured . . . well liked by all his friends . . . science and math his forte . . . future spells engineering college.

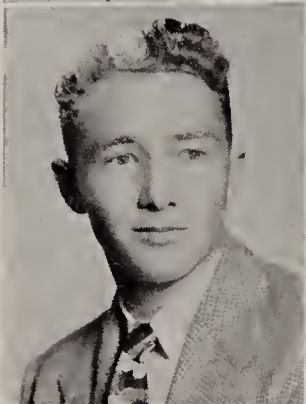
Intramural Sports; Jr. Usher; Track Squad.



#### ROBERT MELANSON

Blond, blue-eyed "Bob" . . . Weaver's threat to Van Johnson . . . excellent golf player . . . summer work as life guard . . . bowler in "Hartford Wrens".

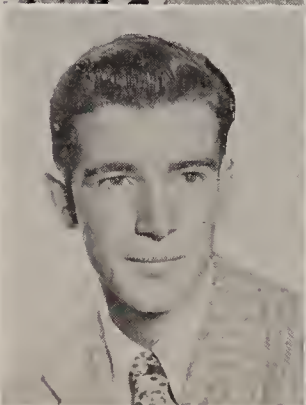
Golf Team; Leaders' Club.



#### JOHN MESKILL

"Skippy" . . . very sincere and friendly . . . fine sense of humor . . . extremely easy-going . . . very interested in basketball . . . lovely brown eyes.

Intramural Sports.



#### FRANCES MICHAEL

"Ginger" . . . knows how to organize . . . a wonderful leader and whiz bookkeeper . . . gets a "Smell" out of perfume bottles! . . . a future office gal.

Girls' League; Jr. Prom Usher.



#### ROSE MICHAUD

"Rosie" or "Frenchy" . . . quiet lass with a pleasing smile . . . interested in sketching and reading . . . easy to like . . . good luck in your secretarial career!

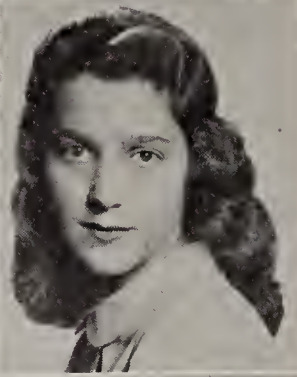
Girls' League; Girls' Sports.



#### JEANNE MIELE

"Jeannie" . . . the girl with vitality plus! . . . shining personality . . . calls years at Weaver "Swell!" . . . girls' sports enthusiast . . . roller skating and dancing among special interests . . . office work ahead.

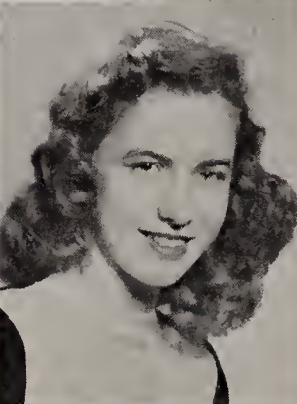
Clubs: Art-Crafts, Ingleside; Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; Girls' Sports; Reception Committee.



#### DOROTHY MILLROD

"Dot" . . . tall and slender (ummm!) . . . smiling eyes . . . her naturally high spirit enjoys amusing practical jokes . . . never a dull moment in her company.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



#### JULIAN M'LUCCI

"Duke" . . . plans for travel and exploration . . . quiet gentleman with courteous disposition . . . good dancer and good company in any crowd . . . late for anything and almost everything!



#### JEAN MONAHAN

A swell person to know . . . one of the quiet lasses . . . collecting postcards fills spare time . . . sweet disposition . . . hopes to become an office worker.

Girls' League.



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### EUGENE MORIARTY

"Moe" . . . the flying Irishman . . . a spark that helped kindle the flame of victory for Weaver's baseball and basketball squads . . . plans to enter Army.

Teams: Baseball, Basketball.

### MARIAN MORRIS

Roman beauty . . . enjoys music, piano, and dancing . . . football and basketball fan . . . friendly smile and genial disposition . . . plans for business school, possibly a medical secretary.

Choir; Girls' League.

### HERBERT MOSES

"Herby" . . . noticed because he is so quiet . . . a conscientious and excellent student . . . can always be depended upon . . . will seek a vocation in engineering.

Biology Club.

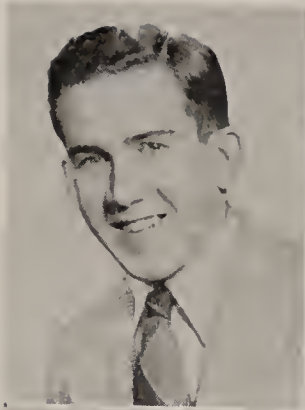
### PAUL MOSKOWITZ

"Brooklyn" . . . Weaver's envoy from that foreign country . . . a real Ebbets Field character . . . recognized by incessant grin . . . ever-dangling key chain and multi-colored suspenders . . . future?—"Back to Brooklyn and Thoid Avenue, boys!"

### JORDAN MUCHNICK

"Jord" . . . tall, lean, willing helper . . . well liked by his friends . . . bombastic . . . budding Romeo . . . business mind . . . enjoys all sports . . . mad driver! . . . aims for advertising school.

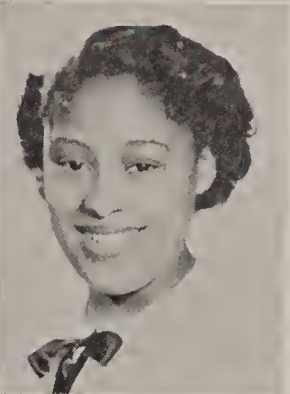
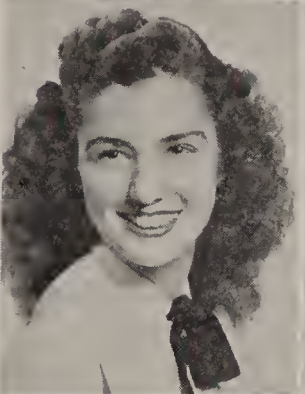
Choir; Clubs: Camera, Chess; Intramural Sports; **Lookout** Business Manager; **Portal** Business Board; Foreign Policy Ass'n.



### BARBARA MURRAY

"Pudgy" . . . petite and vivacious . . . neat dresser . . . spends much time in journalism . . . enjoys dancing to good music . . . pleasant personality . . . plans to attend Virginia State College.

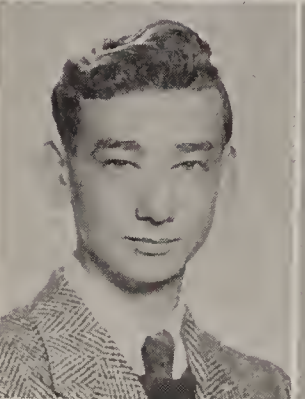
Girls' League; Ingleside Club; Committees: Jr. Prom, Goodwill Formal.



### ROSALIE MUSE

"Rose" . . . always making merry . . . great person to know . . . records and journalism her special interests . . . pleasing personality . . . hopes to attend some institute of higher learning.

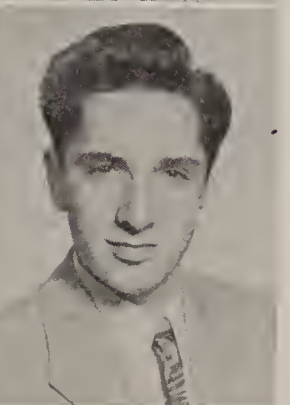
Girls' League; Girls' Sports; Ingleside Club.



### MARILYN NASSAU

"Manny" . . . silken blonde locks frame a satin-smooth complexion . . . friendly smile . . . dresses in good taste . . . delicate white hands capped by striking red nails . . . refined intellect and matching reserve.

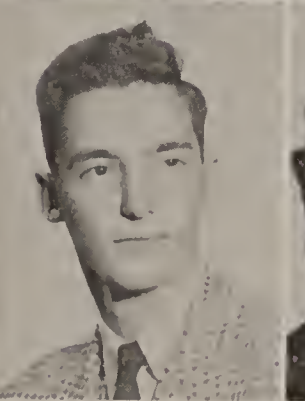
Clubs: French, Latin (Vice-Pres.); Honor Society; Girls' League; **Portal** Board; Nominating Committee.



### JEROME NEKRITZ

"Jerry" . . . nice-looking, modest, sincere . . . easy-going nature . . . enjoys opera and classics . . . Weaver's Iturbi . . . devoted to a blue-eyed blonde . . . college and travel are coming his way.

Camera Club (Sec.); **Lookout** Circulation Staff.



### ELINOR NEMSER

"El" . . . complete lack of selfishness . . . sincerity and kindness . . . a perfect friend . . . fond of reading and swimming . . . headed for a career as a pharmacist.

Clubs: French, Latin; Girls' League; Foreign Policy Ass'n; **Lookout** Editorial Board.



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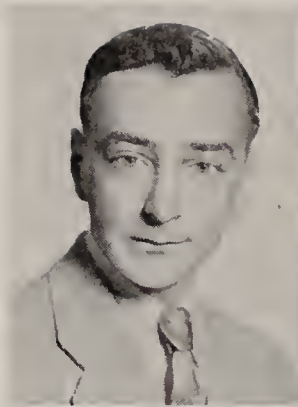




#### LEWIS NEPORENT

"Lew" . . . Weaver's Houdini . . . delves in the black art . . . pleasant and retiring personality . . . able musician . . . enjoyed chemistry . . . bothered by girls!

Band; Biology Club.



#### MARY PADUA

Possessor of shining black tresses . . . enjoys working with needle and thread . . . interests include music and science . . . plans for the future include college.

Biology Club (Vice-Pres.); Girls' League (Treas.); Leaders' Corps; Cheerleader; Orchestra.

#### MARILYN NUSSMAN

Really a swell girl . . . rather quiet until you know her . . . most conscientious . . . tall and slender . . . very agreeable . . . always looks neat . . . ability to get along with anyone.

Choir; Clubs: Biology, Glee, Ingleside; Girls' League.



#### LILLIAN PAHUSKIN

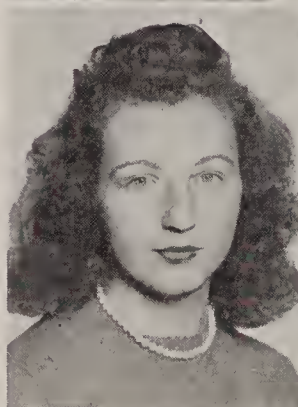
"Lil" . . . cute young miss with a bright smile . . . enjoys creating clothes and certainly looks well in them . . . aims for designing . . . ever heard "Lil" laugh up the scale?

Business Club; Girls' League; Lookout Typist.

#### DOROTHY O'BRIEN

"O'B" . . . wavy light-brown hair . . . football fan . . . collector of records . . . enjoys roller skating and dancing . . . easy walk and friendly ways.

Girls' League.



#### HELEN PANCHUCK

Gay . . . the life of any party . . . finds men in general and an army man in particular interesting! . . . future office worker and wife ("if someone wants me"!).

Girls' League.

#### MARY OGLE

Bloomfield's loss is Weaver's gain . . . took part in many activities at Bloomfield . . . stunned by the size of Weaver . . . a friendly and conscientious student . . . enjoys roller skating.

Girls' League.



#### JAMES PAPILLO

"Jimmy" . . . unusually nice deep-brown eyes . . . very good-looking . . . sharp dresser . . . whenever seen is usually accompanied by a guitar . . . nice tenor voice.

Choirs; A Cappella, Senior; Clubs: Record, Glee.

#### CIPRIANO PADUA

"Cip" . . . deep-black hair and black eyebrows . . . slow nonchalant swagger . . . quiet fellow, seen but not heard . . . interested in model planes and fishing.

Intramural Sports; Model Airplane Club.



#### HELEN PASHKO

Magnetic personality attracts many friends . . . varied interests . . . applies one of her varied talents to making her own stunning clothes . . . excels in field of sports.

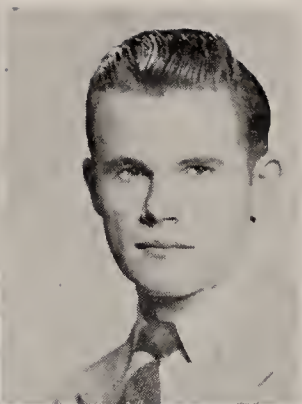
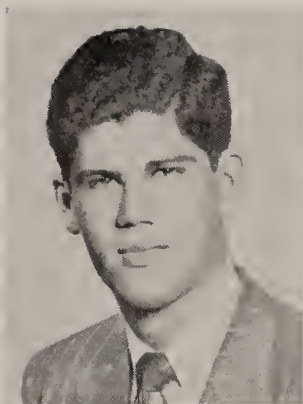
Choirs; All-State, Senior; Clubs: Biology, Glee; Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; Girls' Sports; Committees: Goodwill Formal, Jr.-Faculty Tea (Chairman), Jr. Prom; Portal Board; Honor Society.



#### RICHARD PAULL

Tall and dark . . . a good student . . . future plans include college . . . very interested in music and singing . . . plays the guitar for enjoyment.

Choir; Glee Club.



#### WILSON PINNEY

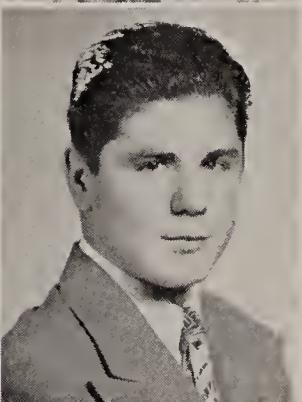
"Wil" . . . tall with unruly hair and dimples . . . very pleasant voice . . . typical "Joe College" and oh! those ties! . . . E. H. C.'s private chauffeur . . . never a dull moment in his routine!

Biology Club; Choir; Committees: Jr. Prom, Nominating; Projection Squad.

#### BENNETT PEARL

"Ben" . . . stamp collector . . . future plans include medical school . . . quiet gentleman who goes about his business without bothering anyone . . . friendly smile and greeting for all.

Biology Club.



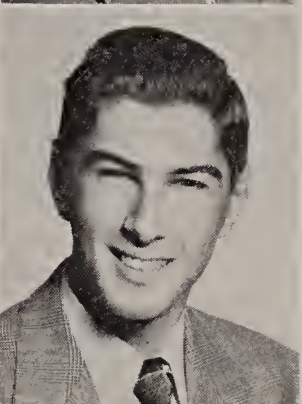
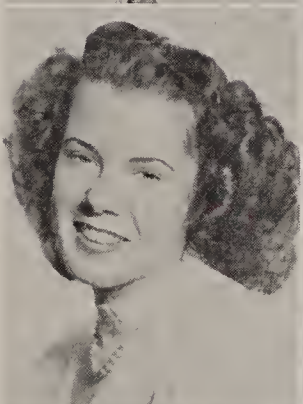
#### MICHAEL PITEO

"Mickey" . . . an outdoors man interested in hunting, fishing, and boating . . . seems quiet, but wait until you know him! . . . toys with motors in spare time . . . plans include further study.

#### LORETTA PENNING

"La-La" . . . very winning smile . . . nice personality . . . seems to enjoy art class . . . trim figure, ideal for her chosen career as an air stewardess . . . happy landings!

Girls' League.



#### NORMAN POLMAN

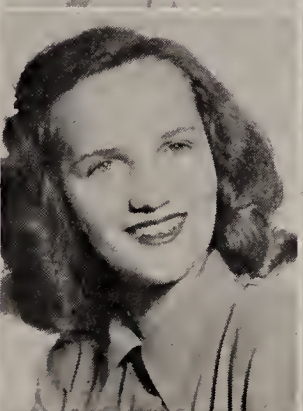
"Norm" . . . tall, dark, and deep-voiced . . . always has a snappy retort . . . avid model airplane builder . . . plans to plague us with radio commercials in future.

Intramural Sports; Radio Club.

#### ELEANOR PEOWSKI

"Ellie" . . . sweet face and bright smile . . . won't forget the easel in "Weaver Night" . . . likes to sketch and design . . . art store holds her interest . . . future secretary.

Clubs; Art-Crafts (Sec.), Business; Girls' League.



#### DOROTHY PORTELLI

"Pesty" . . . sweet, pleasant disposition . . . loads of friends . . . lends a sympathetic ear . . . noted for her very neat appearance . . . spends many hours roller skating and dancing.

Girls' League.

#### ABRAHAM PINKES

Fleet-footed "Pinky" liked track and baseball . . . also cards . . . gym, shop, and study periods agreed with him . . . homework and demerits didn't! . . . bound for Hartford Trade School.

Teams: Cross-Country, Track.



#### GERARD POULIN

Went through Weaver in a carefree manner . . . participates in many sports . . . always enjoyed a joke . . . rarely took a book home!



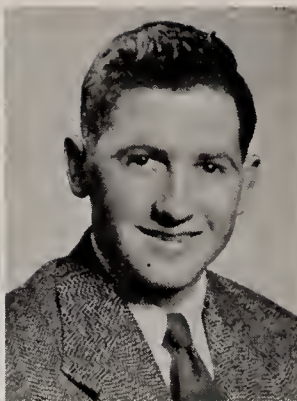
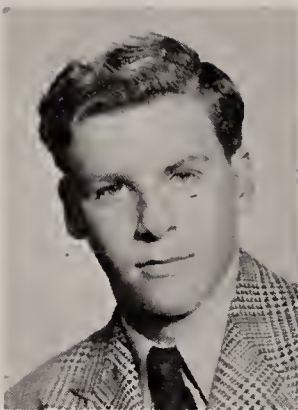
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### ALBERT PRICE

"Al" . . . slim and wiry . . . seemingly quiet but possesses a lively sense of humor . . . interested in hunting and fishing . . . likes to bowl for variety.



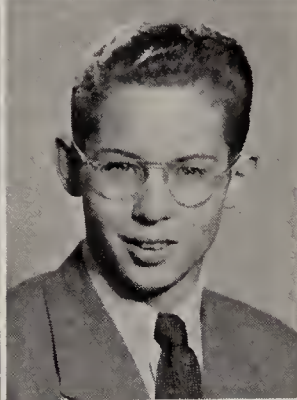
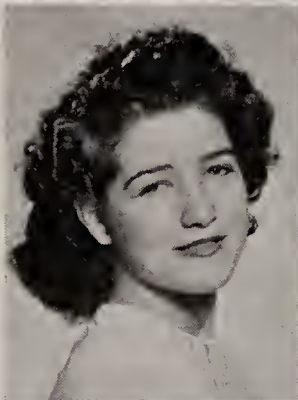
### FRED RICCIO

"Rick" . . . interested in golf, roller skating, swimming, and dancing . . . usually seen at Skating Palace . . . liked best the vacations that "came just in time" . . . plans joining U. S. Army.

### BETTY PRITCHARD

"Bet's" . . . sports enthusiast . . . overflowing with vitality . . . collector of foreign dolls . . . will remember Weaver for football games and science classes . . . will try to forget homework and demerits!

Girls' League; Girls' Sports; Ingleside Club.



### ROBERT RICE

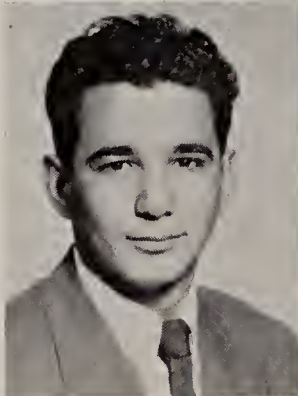
"Bob" . . . carefree and always happy . . . most interested in social side of Weaver . . . enjoys dancing, roller skating, and swimming . . . plans to enter the Army.

Jr. Prom Committee.

### WILLIAM PUGLISE

Very genial . . . always ready to help . . . muscles galore . . . smooth dancer . . . can even jitterbug! . . . beautiful curly black hair and pleasing smile . . . athletically inclined.

Teams: Football, Track, Baseball.



### BARBARA RICHMAN

"Bobby" . . . long black eyelashes frame blue eyes . . . one of Weaver's better dressed maidens . . . known for her giggle . . . another woman driver! . . . interested in music and dancing.

Clubs: Biology, Record; Girls' League; **Lookout** Business Board.

### DORIS RAMPELLI

"Do" . . . intelligent and easy to get along with . . . worked at Whitney's . . . pestered by anxious seniors who thought the camera lied! . . . loves to "hoof it" . . . always seen with "Bob" — lucky fellow!

Business Club; Girls' League; **Lookout** Typist.



### MONA RICHMAN

"Toe" . . . interested in modern dancing . . . soft-spoken and gentle . . . known for clear enunciation of the spoken word and indecipherable hieroglyphics of the written word!

Clubs: Biology, French; Girls' League.

### BEVERLY REILLY

Small and sweet . . . a quiet, reserved young lady . . . conscientious and dependable in her studies . . . enjoys collecting records and taking snapshots . . . liked Weaver — all except the swinging doors!

Girls' League.



### NORTON RICHMAN

"Professor Pruneface" . . . strange glint in his eye (watch out, girls!) . . . a leader in his crowd . . . a future medic . . . keen on sports.

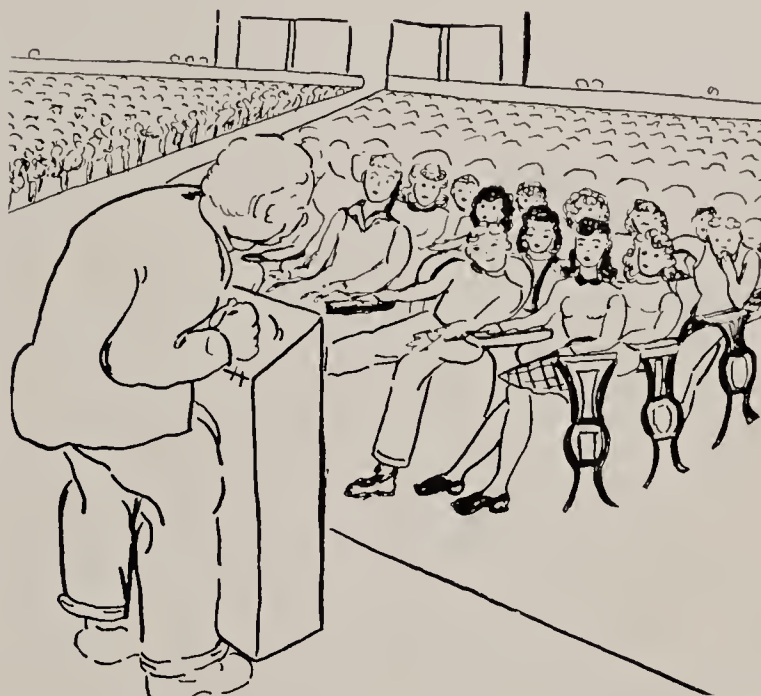
Biology Club; Intramural Sports; Track Team



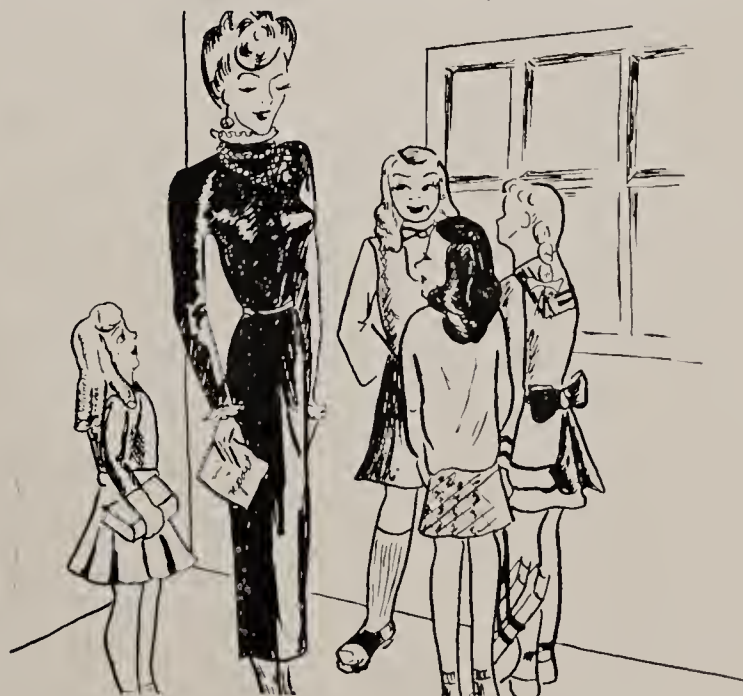
Anne Byrne — The clock  
"Late date last night?"



Bernie Jacobson  
"And, ladies and gentlemen, I promise  
a bottle of beer on every doorstep."



"The last minute rush! Doing what nature  
didn't!"



Gaye Rondinone — 1970  
"When I was your age, children, I did  
my homework **every** night."

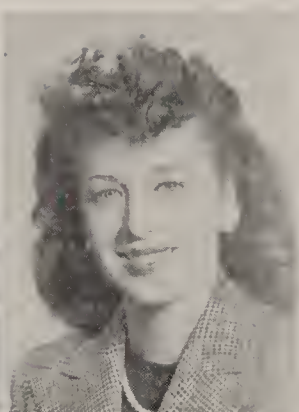
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### JEAN RINEHART

A real cute blonde . . . popular with both sexes . . . lovely complexion . . . neat dresser . . . especially ambitious in speedball . . . wonderful personality . . . very friendly nature.

Girls' League.



### LILLIAN ROME

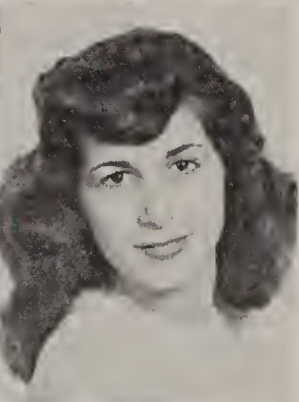
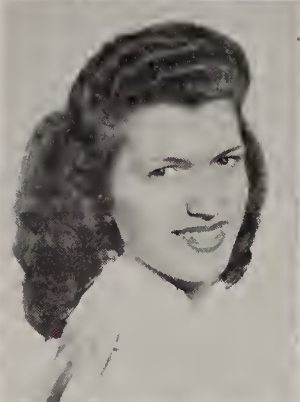
"Lil" . . . admired for her charm and friendliness . . . popular with both sexes . . . another victim of the swinging doors . . . intends following in the footsteps of Florence Nightingale . . . lucky patients!

Girls' League.

### VIRGINIA RIO

"Ginny" . . . very attractive, indeed . . . one of the gang . . . never misses a good time . . . popular with the opposite sex . . . always seen when the team needs a cheer . . . a typical teen-ager.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



### CATHERINE RONDINONE

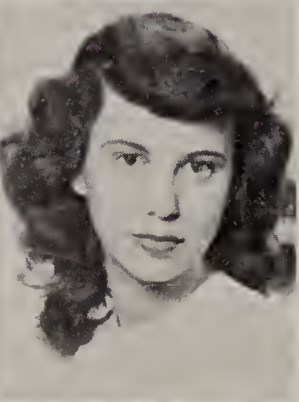
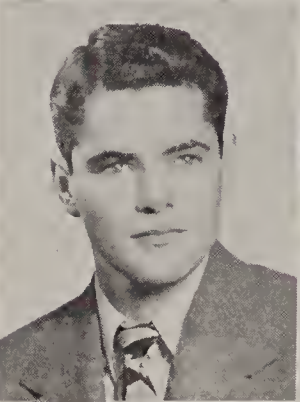
"Kay" . . . a lass with an attractive figure and just the right clothes for it . . . dark and intriguing . . . an energetic miss . . . high popularity rating with both sexes.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.

### ARNOLD RITVO

"Arnie" . . . tall, dark, good-looking . . . causes many a female heart to flutter . . . rabid Dodger fan . . . adept pitcher . . . keeps a sharp watch for fairer sex . . . law and business calling . . . a swell fellow.

Intramural Sports; Projection Squad; Track Team.



### GAYE RONDINONE

Devastating brunette . . . a diamond sparkles on her third left . . . bowls for relaxation! . . . bemoans the swinging doors (who doesn't) . . . enthusiastic about Weaver's friendliness.

Clubs: Ingleside, Record; Girls' League; Jr. Prom Committee.

### JOSEPH ROBBINS

"Joey" . . . diminutive bundle of charm . . . another of Weaver's outstanding outdoors men . . . enjoys hunting and fishing . . . usually seen chewing a stick of gum.

Track Squad; Intramural Football.



### MAURINE RONNER

"Ronnie" . . . friendly nature . . . smiling green eyes . . . talent thwarted by Weaver's lack of dramatic club . . . admired fellowship at Weaver, but that demerit system, ugh!

Choir; Girls' League.

### RUTH ROBINSON

"Robby" . . . complete sincerity to her fortunate friends . . . admirable tranquility . . . enjoys a good game of tennis . . . favorable comment for Weaver; she liked the adult treatment we received!

Girls' League.



### SUSAN ROOS

"Sue" . . . petite, cute Weaverite, always adorned with a beaming smile . . . constantly hurrying . . . partial to music and dancing . . . efficiency heralds success in future office work . . .

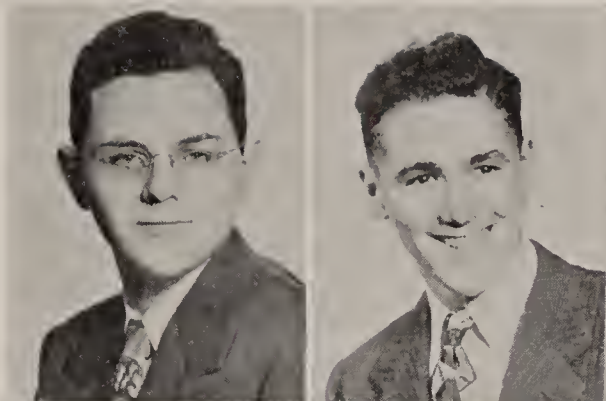
Girls' League.



### BERNARD ROSEN

"Bernie" . . . wavy dark hair and a physique rating him one of Weaver's husky males . . . strictly musically inclined . . . full of fun once you know him.

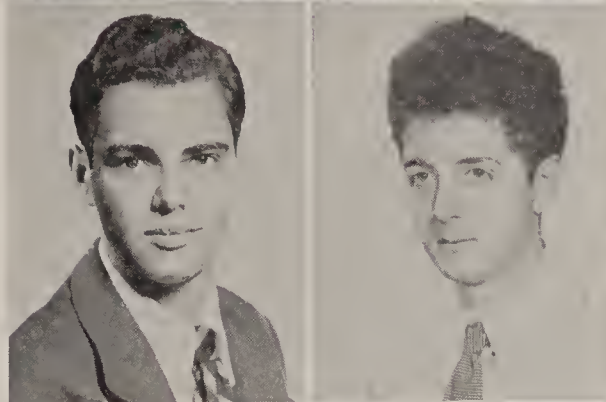
A Cappella; Choir; Glee Club; Foreign Policy Ass'n.



### GILBERT ROSENBAUM

"Gil" . . . another zealous shutterbug . . . also interested in art . . . broad, friendly grin chief among his assets . . . hopes to study medicine . . . best of luck, "Gil".

Camera Club; **Lookout** Photography Staff.



### IRVING ROSENBERG

"Irv" . . . Weaver's own Phil Baker . . . one of the school's better male scholars . . . geometry whiz . . . enjoyed projection squad and band . . . has eye out for fairer sex . . . music school calling.

Band, Librarian; Choir; Clubs: Glee (Sec.), Latin, Record; Honor Society; Jr. Usher; Projection Squad; Nominating Committee.



### MORTON ROSENBERG

"Mort" . . . Arkansas traveler of the Green and White . . . ardent stamp collector . . . high ranking Latin student . . . enthusiastic about tall, blue-eyed brunettes . . . dislikes Math and Sciences . . . future Latin and history teacher.

Latin Club; Jr. Usher; Honor Society.



### SCHANIA ROSENSHEIN

Good things come in small packages . . . West Virginia's loss was Weaver's gain . . . shining hair never out of place . . . good luck to an aspiring C.P.A.

Girls' League.



### NEALE ROSENTHAL

A photography devotee, snapped pictures for **Lookout** . . . plans to go to college . . . "Nelson" disliked lunchroom most . . . liked friendly assemblies best.

Clubs: Biology, Camera (Vice-Pres.); Track Team; **Lookout** Photographer.

### LUIGI ROSSI

One of Weaver's quieter men . . . especially interested in history . . . easily recognized by his curly black hair . . . Luigi's first year at Weaver pleased him most!

### NANCY ROTH

Dimpled smile . . . bright blue-green eyes outlined by long dark lashes . . . Weaver sport enthusiast . . . well known for her unique laugh . . . vivacious personality.

French Club; Girls' League.

### ROSALIND ROTH

"Ros" . . . expressive eyes . . . subtle humor, at times . . . split personality . . . really silly and an incurable dreamer . . . truth and honor, appreciation of good music and books.

Choirs: A Cappella, Senior; Clubs: C.H.L.S., German (Sec.), Glee, Latin (Censor); Girls' League; Girls' Sports; Honor Society; Jr. Prom Committee; **Portal** Board.

### BEVERLEE ROTHSTEIN

"Peppy" . . . what melancholy dreams lie in those lovely blue-green eyes . . . has many a male heart to her credit . . . enviable figure . . . Strauss waltzes delight "Peppy".

Choir; Clubs: Camera (Sec.), Glee, Record; Committees: Goodwill Formal, Matinee Dance; **Lookout** Editorial Board.



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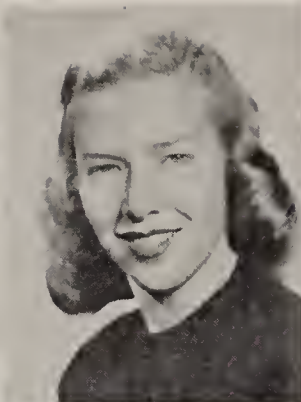




### RAYMOND ROULEAU

"Ray" . . . tall, quiet lad with a friendly smile . . . trombone enthusiast . . . loyal member of band . . . really enjoyed his stay at Weaver . . . hopes for success in musical field.

Bands: Weaver, All-State; Orchestra.



### FRIEDA SAMLER

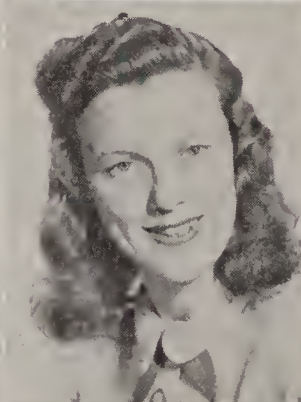
"Blondie" . . . sun-tinted hair and blue eyes (what a combination!) . . . a popular dance partner . . . a budding artist . . . steadfast worker in all she undertakes.

Art-Crafts Club; Choir; Girls' League; **Lookout** Circulation Board; Honor Society.

### ROBERT RUDNER

"Cuban" . . . "Rough Rider" . . . sports enthusiast . . . enjoys sailing the bounding main . . . partakes of culture in the form of stamp collecting . . . adores a petite blonde . . . U. S. Army or Accounting School beckons in the future.

Squads: Cross-Country, Track.



### JUNE SANDERS

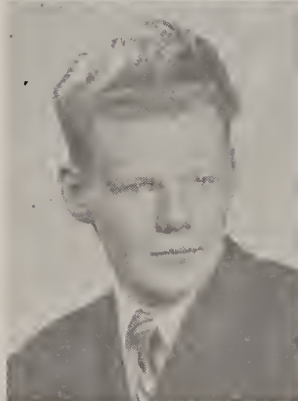
"Sandy" . . . a cute kid . . . a friendly personality and sweet disposition . . . well liked by all . . . special interests: sports, dancing, and the football team . . . plans include office work — then marriage!

Girls' League.

### WILLIAM SAGE

"Bill" . . . tall, blond, pleasant appearance . . . strong, silent type . . . possesses marked football ability . . . silently admired by the opposite sex . . . sees future in Armed Forces.

Leaders' Corps.



### ANGELA SAPIA

"Angie" . . . possesses a sweet, carefree nature . . . sincere and sociable traits won her many lasting friends . . . definitely the athletic type . . . liked Weaver but liked vacations even more! . . . looks forward to career in hairdressing.

Art-Crafts Club; Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; Girls' Sports.

### RUSSEL ST. JOHN, JR.

"Russ" . . . soft-spoken and good-humored . . . his "crew" haircut a permanent feature . . . rugged outdoor man . . . favorite pastimes, hunting and camping . . . hopes to become a game warden.



### PETER SAYADOFF

"Pistol Pete" . . . very entertaining in all his classes . . . combines just enough humor and personality to make an ideal friend . . . especially interested in athletics and a brunette sophomore!

Teams: Football, Baseball.

### ROBERT SALZ

"Bob" . . . curly, blond hair . . . the "Charge-it" boy . . . usually seen either arguing or horseback riding . . . great skiing enthusiast . . . will major in business and law in college.



### FRANCIS SCANLON

Tall and ruddy-complexioned . . . especially a Y. M. C. A. fan . . . interested in football, bowling, and boxing . . . doesn't have much time for girls . . . can often be seen at the boxing matches.



### MARVIN SCHAFFMAN

Small and slight with dark wavy hair and sparkling eyes . . . quiet, unobtrusive fellow . . . swell to know . . . says "Muscles" of one G.H.P., "Gee, is he tricky?"

Camera Club; Cross-Country Squad; Foreign Policy Ass'n.

### MONROE SCHERZER

"Monty" . . . tall, dark, and handsome . . . happy-go-lucky man about town . . . very popular with fairer sex . . . one of Leaders' Corps Adonises . . . rates Weaver okay . . . future plans, a surgeon.

Cheerleader; Choir; Clubs: Biology, Glee, Leaders', Radio; Jr. Prom Committee; **Lookout** Editorial Board; Orchestra; Tennis Team.

### GILDA SCHIAVONE

"Jil" . . . a delightful mixture of beauty and brains . . . an asset to Weaver . . . always cheerful . . . active in Girls' Sports . . . never too busy to lend a helping hand . . . a future business woman.

Business Club (Treas.); Girls' League (Pres.); Leaders' Corps; Girls' Sports; Committees: Jr. Faculty Tea, Jr. Prom; Honor Society; **Portal** Board; Essayist; Salutatorian.

### MARILYN SCHIESSL

"Blimp" . . . silky, blonde hair . . . there's always fun when she's around . . . fond of piano playing . . . enjoyed senior year best of all . . . plans for the future — "Number, please."

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.

### RAYMOND SCHMIDT

"Smitty" . . . affectionately known as the "Mighty Mite" . . . always bubbling over with energy . . . regarded as a champion skater . . . noted for his resounding tenor . . . crack trackman . . . greatest headache, geometry.

Choirs: A Cappella, Senior; Band; Squads: Track, Cross-Country.



### HARRIET SCHUMAN

Harriet . . . trim figure . . . always well-poised . . . takes pride in a task well done . . . ability as an interesting conversationalist aided by a well-modulated voice . . . lively Weaverite.

Choir; Clubs: Biology, French, Glee; Leaders' Corps; Girls' League; Honor Society.

### LARRY SCHUMAN

"Larry" . . . affectionately called "Barrel" . . . a master in the art of "ranking" and complimenting . . . president of the "Five O'clock Shadow Club" . . . lover of all sports.

Teams: Football, Track; Clubs: Biology, Glee; Choir.

### MICHAEL SCHWARTZ

"Mike" . . . recognized by his plaid shirts, crowded car, and perennial cough . . . believes in Genies . . . spends spare time in West Hartford . . . temperamental hair . . . forever in need of a shave . . . future M. D.

Intramural Sports; Foreign Policy Ass'n.

### ESTELLE SCHWEITZER

Really nice person . . . rather on the quiet side . . . likes traveling . . . and who doesn't? takes particular interest in photography . . . looks forward to college days.

Camera Club; Girls' League.

### MORTON SCHWEITZER

"Morty" . . . tall and unassuming . . . interested in photography and music (what, no women?) . . . dentistry, his field . . . goes in for sciences . . . liked '45 football team! Why not?!

Camera Club (Treas.).

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### MARTHA SCOTT

"Fee" . . . boisterous personality . . . infectious laugh and engaging grin . . . extremely active in field of athletics . . . has domestic side, too, especially favoring dressmaking and cooking.

Girls' League; Girls' Sports.



### GERALDINE SHEA

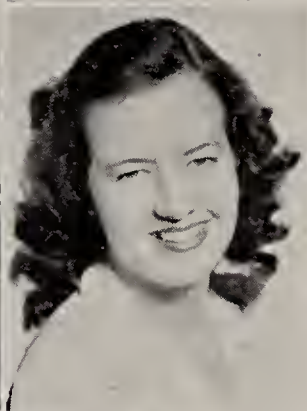
"Gerry" . . . tall, good-looking lass . . . always has a ready smile . . . fond of sports . . . enjoyed the assemblies . . . intends to further business education and become a secretary.

Clubs: Biology, Business (Pres.); Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; **Lookout** Typist; **Portal** Typist; Girls' Sports.

### INGE SEAMAN

Known as "Ike" to her intimates . . . has that exuberant and healthy look . . . full of fun . . . intelligent and sincere talker . . . sports enthusiast . . . always moved by "Stardust" and the "Polonaise" . . . future teacher.

Clubs: Biology, French; Girls' League; Girls' Sports; Leaders' Corps.



### JEAN SHEA

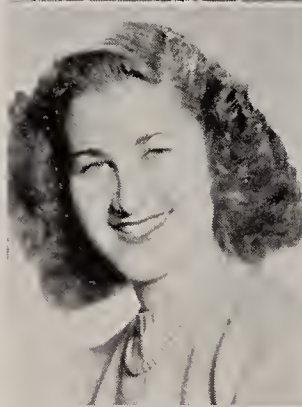
Jean . . . cute and dependable . . . sparkling blue eyes . . . brown hair . . . never worries, never complains . . . has a wide circle of friends . . . another secretary in the making . . . lucky boss!

Clubs: Biology, Business (Sec.); Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; **Lookout** Typist; Honor Society; Nominating Committee; Prophetess.

### ABIGAIL SELTZER

"Gail" . . . always smiling . . . aesthetic nature . . . one of Weaver's better songbirds . . . aspires for an artist's career . . . cultivated many friendships at Weaver.

A Cappella; Choir; Clubs: Art-Crafts, Glee, French; Girls' League; Honor Society.



### ALEXANDRIA SHUGAY

"Alice" . . . a girl with many friends . . . fun-loving . . . keen sense of humor . . . active in sports . . . a loyal Weaver rooter . . . intends to enter secretarial school after graduation.

Girls' League; Girls' Sports; Leaders' Corps.

### JAY SHAPIRO

Smooth dresser . . . talented writer with aspirations for a career in journalism . . . avid reader of good books . . . an eye for the women . . . Hamlet the Second!

Biology Club; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Jr. Prom Committee; **Lookout** Editorial Board; **Portal** Board.



### GLORIA SIGAL

"Tiny" . . . small but powerful . . . miniature Betty Hutton . . . always "engaged" in something . . . interested in piano . . . spends spare time dancing and attending movies . . . always jolly.

Choir; Glee Club.

### LOIS SHAPIRO

The girl with the friendly smile for everyone and disposition to match . . . antique collector . . . her curly dark hair envied by all the girls and admired by boys.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



### THELMA SIGAL

"Tybe" . . . petite . . . known for pleasant personality . . . interesting talker . . . smooth dancer . . . sketches in spare time . . . often seen hunting for a stool in third lunch! . . . has an effervescent school spirit and leadership qualities.

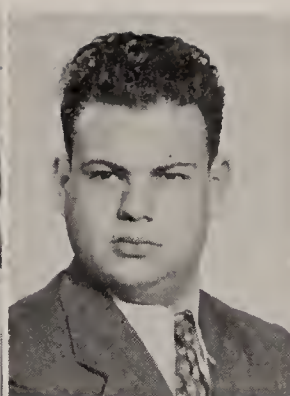
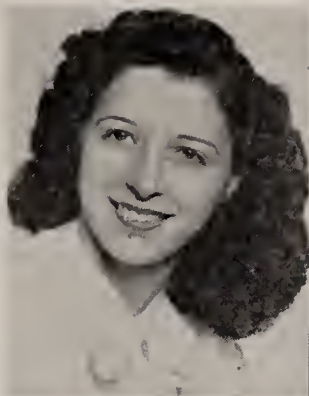
Clubs: Art-Crafts, Biology, French, Latin; Choir; Glee Club.



### MARY SILVESTRI

One of our silent classmates . . . very neat in her appearance . . . nice clothes . . . spends spare time roller skating . . . plans to work in an office . . . good luck, Mary.

Girls' League.



### ROBERT SKLAR

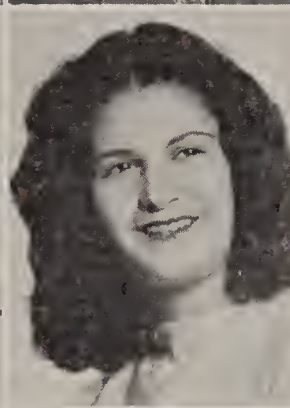
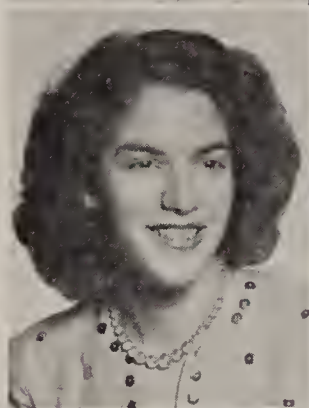
"Bob" . . . genial and good-natured . . . arm-chair politician . . . interested in numismatics . . . will use strength to pull teeth in future.

Biology Club; Intramural Football.

### MILDRED SINGER

"Millie" . . . shy smile . . . one of those rare sweet, silent women . . . devoted to good books . . . aims for future in business world.

Girls' League.



### FRANCES SLAVKIN

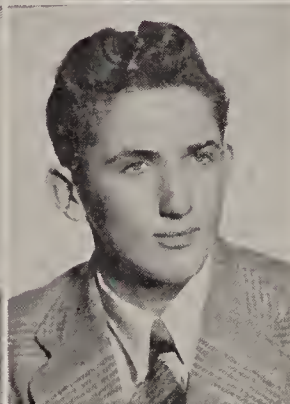
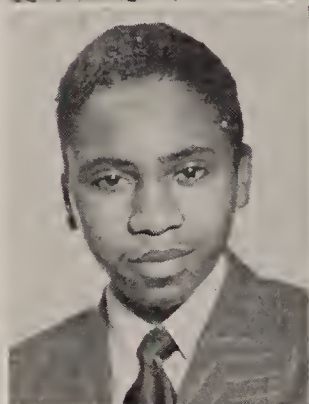
"Franny" . . . wavy black tresses and dark eyes to match . . . loyal Weaverite at many a football game . . . heading for junior college . . . here's luck! . . . deems

Weaver best years of her life! Biology Club; Girls' League.

### JOHN SINGLETARY, JR.

Neat and good-looking chap . . . friendly to all . . . graphic arts a particular interest . . . a Weaver trackman . . . especially liked art class with all females . . . future plans!?

Choir; Leaders' Corps; Teams: Cross-Country, Track.



### DAVID SLITT

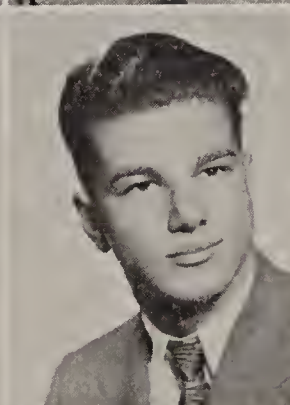
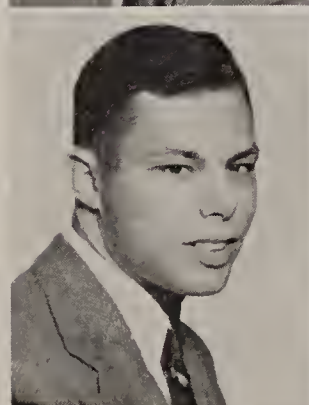
"Dave" . . . fleet-footed guardian of the keystone sack . . . recognized by his engaging smile . . . famed for his friendly, easy-going disposition . . . usually seen in the company of a baseball! . . . college bound.

Baseball Team.

### JEROME SISKIN

"Jerry" . . . an excellent debater for what he believes right . . . interested in dramatics . . . aspiring for a theological career . . . another fan for Mr. Crowell.

Clubs: Biology, Camera; Foreign Policy Ass'n.



### HARVEY SMITH

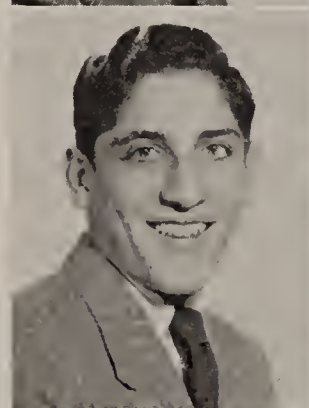
"Don Hutson" . . . tall and quiet . . . interested in all kinds of sports . . . fourth period auditorium study bothered him . . . a future draftsman . . . admired team's spirit.

Football Team.

### GAETANO SIVO, JR.

"Tommy" . . . head bottle-washer and cook at White's . . . often seen tearing down Blue Hills Ave. in his car . . . they're practically inseparable! . . . nice build . . . neat dresser.

Football Squad.



### LUCY SMITH

"Littlebit" . . . as tiny as her name implies . . . well poised and gracious manner . . . always well and tastefully dressed . . . collects perfume . . . college her goal.

Choir; Girls' League.



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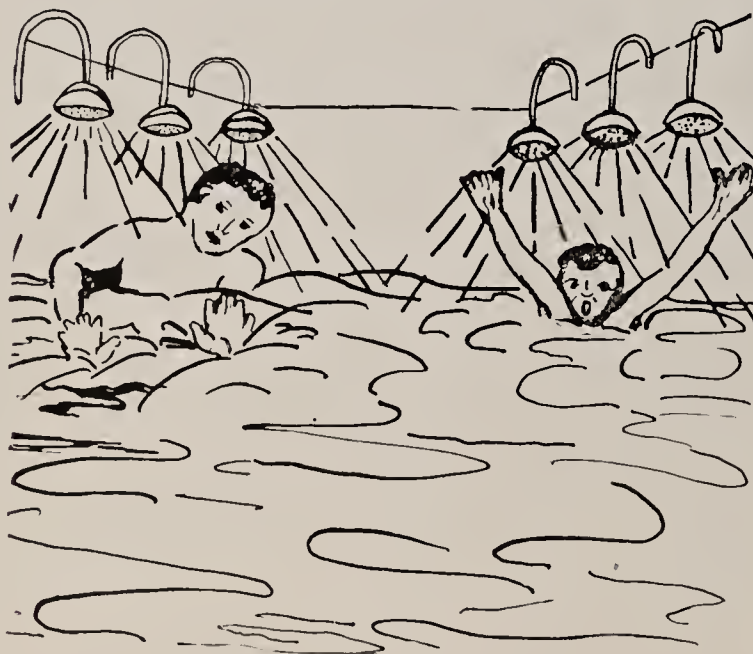
Mr. Crowell's substitute, Seymour Gaven-  
sky, Jerry Nekritz, Bill Levitzky and John  
Jackson

"How they loved that teacher!"



Lessow, Gottlieb and Neiditz

"They give so much for so little!"  
(This broke the **Portal's** heart.)



Boys' Shower Room

Nick Macres and Al Linden: "Hey, out  
there! How about a little water in here."



Miss Phillips and Norman Cohen

"But, Monsieur, it doesn't even make a  
good book cover!"

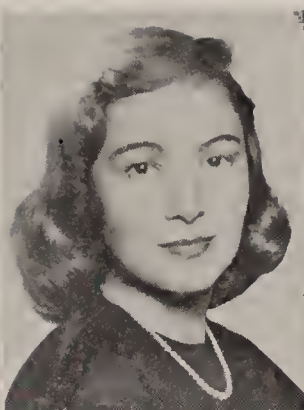
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#### SHIRLEY SMITH

"Shirl" . . . little and lively . . . always ready to make fun . . . spends leisure time collecting pictures . . . business college next step after graduation . . . lots of luck, "Shirl".

Girls' League.



#### DOROTHY SOLON

"Dotty" . . . poise of a princess with equal charm and beauty . . . appreciation of the fine arts . . . "sunbeams in her hair" . . . good luck with your plans for a nursing career!

Clubs: Biology, C.H.L.S., French; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League.

#### CATHERINE SMYTH

"Cathy" . . . cheerful countenance . . . slim . . . ever-ready to lend a helping hand . . . a pen pal to many European students . . . future interior decorator . . . disliked stairs . . . will probably endow Weaver with an escalator!

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



#### SYLVIA SPELANE

"Syl" . . . dark eyes that sparkle . . . dark, wavy hair . . . good dancer . . . enjoyed friendly atmosphere at Weaver . . . hates to leave . . . future plans include business school.

Business Club; Girls' League; Lookout Business Board.

#### EVELYN SOLOMON

"Evie" . . . competent, capable, and fun-loving . . . streaming brown hair . . . chief delight was time between classes . . . hopes to build future around marked culinary talents.

Girls' League.



#### ELEANOR SPITALNICK

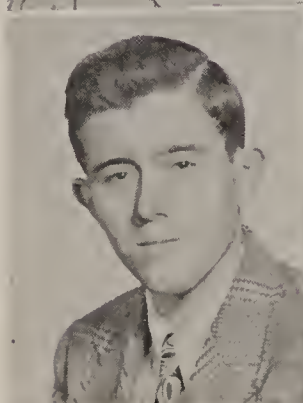
"Ellie" . . . interested in sports, especially bowling and skating . . . sharp wit and keen mind . . . fiery spirit . . . quick with an answer . . . always on the go.

Girls' League.

#### MELVIN SOLOMON

Rather reserved but very likeable . . . especially interested in art . . . plans to attend art school . . . well-mannered and industrious . . . thinks Weaver was perfect.

Art-Crafts Club (Treas.).



#### ADELE STEINBERG

"Dell" . . . dark hair and sparkling blue-gray eyes . . . pleasing personality . . . keen on Weaver's school spirit . . . has plenty of it, herself . . . enjoys athletics . . . especially good in volleyball.

Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League; Girls' Sports.

#### ROBERT SOLOMON

"Bobby" . . . familiar figure in cafeteria . . . ardent music and sports fan . . . the path to Bobby's heart leads through his stomach or a history book.

Band; Cross-Country Mgr.; Track Mgr.



#### IRENE STONE

"Rene" . . . Manchester's gift to Weaver . . . sweet smile . . . model face on a model figure . . . future dietitian . . . impressed by "spirit in which things were done" at Weaver.

Girls' League.

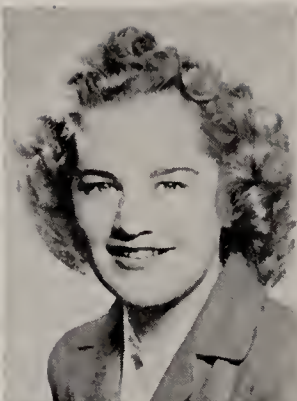
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### SHELDON STONE

"Shel" . . . recognized by wavy dark hair and contagious laugh . . . admired by the opposite sex for those broad shoulders, ummm! . . . avid stamp collector . . . keen sense of humor.

Clubs: Biology, Camera; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Jr. Prom Committee.



### ELIZABETH SWANSON

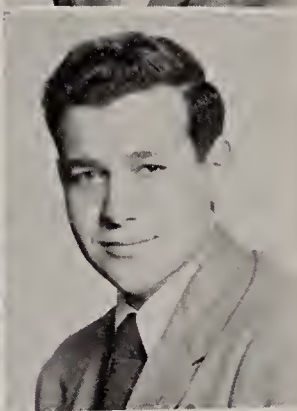
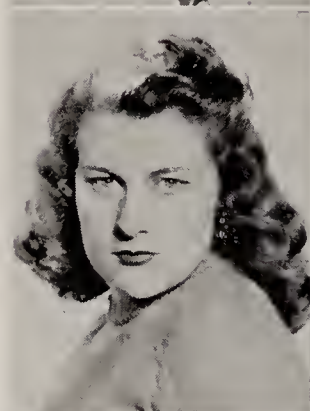
"Dimples" . . . a vivacious bundle of energy . . . locks of pure gold and eyes of azure . . . adorable dimples, too . . . neat trick from any view.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club; Girls' Sports.

### MARGARET STRATTON

"Margie" . . . blonde hair . . . light-complexioned . . . magnetic smile . . . especially fond of horseback riding and bowling . . . liked Home Ec. class best of all . . . good luck, "Margie".

Girls' League.



### ALFRED TAGER

"Al" . . . noted for sunny disposition and corny jokes . . . very popular with opposite sex . . . usually seen with a girl on either arm . . . liked school best during vacations! . . . hopes to become an engineer.

Basketball Mgr.; Jr. Prom Committee.

### MARY SULLIVAN

"Mary Pat" . . . always laughing and joking . . . art and dancing among many interests . . . hopes to attend college next year . . . will miss those swinging doors!

French Club; Girls' League; Jr. Prom Committee.



### WILLIAM THOMPSON

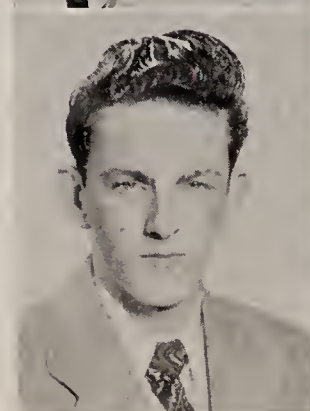
"Bill" . . . tall, blond, and friendly . . . has the sax craze . . . nuts about senior year . . . very polite and cooperative . . . another Weaver dance fan . . . college coming up!

Band.

### THOMAS SULLIVAN

"Chief" . . . quiet and unassuming nature . . . slim build . . . never one to talk needlessly . . . a whiz with his baton . . . leader of the band.

Band; Baseball Team.



### DOMENICA TOLISANO

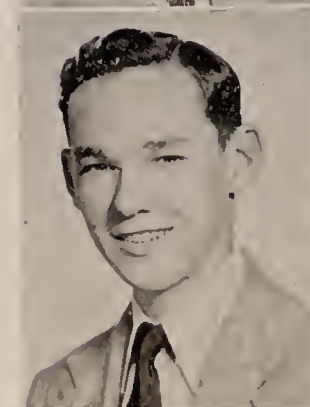
"Dut" . . . very cute . . . has lovely clothes and wears them well . . . pleasing personality makes her popular with both sexes . . . collects records . . . plans for a career in art . . . a typical Weaverite.

Art-Crafts Club; Girls' League; Leaders' Corps.

### WILLIAM SULLIVAN

"Bill" . . . seems quiet until you know him well . . . modest about his accomplishments . . . down to earth . . . never a harsh word for anyone.

Model Airplane Club.



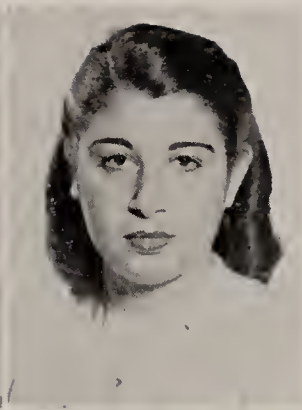
### JOSEPH TONE

"Joe" . . . quiet and retiring fellow . . . serious most of the time . . . good student and citizen . . . enjoys reading . . . hopes to work in the field of art.



### HARVEY TORCHINSKY

"Torchy" . . . played hot drums . . . liked driving, prizefights, and women . . . plans for future include college . . . disliked cafeteria foods most! . . . liked study periods best!



### FLORENCE VALLON

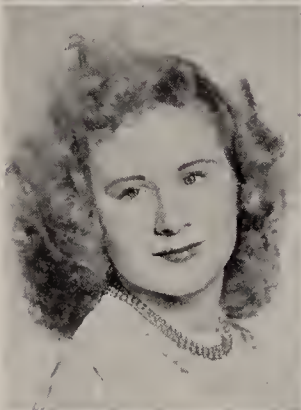
"Flo" . . . able orator . . . interested in swimming, bowling, and dancing . . . headed for dietitian work at the University of Connecticut . . . sophisticated and poised.

Choir; Clubs: Glee, Ingleside.

### LYDIA TOWSTIK

"Blondie" . . . short and cute . . . has the touch of Midas in her hair . . . pleasing personality . . . made many friends in Weaver . . . aspiring pianist.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



### ROSE VECCHIOLLA

"Vicky" . . . sports enthusiast . . . can be seen zooming over Hartford at off hours of the day . . . future flying instructor . . . bubbling over with vitality and personality.

Girls' League; Girls' Sports; Ingleside Club.

### LORRAINE TYLER

"Lorry" . . . pretty hair and cute figure . . . the stronger sex forgets food when this lunchroom cashier appears . . . good at dancing and sports.

Art-Crafts Club; Girls' Sports.



### WILLIAM WALDRON

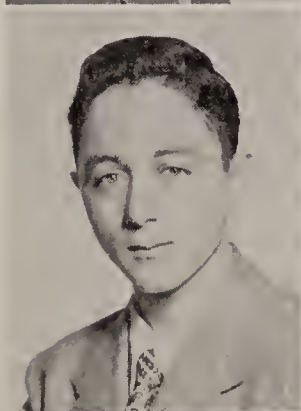
"Waldo" . . . elongated string bean . . . deadeye on any basketball team . . . one of Soby's meal tickets . . . rabid sports fan . . . ace on the golf links.

Basketball Squad.

### JOSEPH UNGARO

"Joe" . . . small edition of Petrillo . . . athlete . . . sophomore casualty of swinging doors . . . lives for Friday, music, and photography . . . plans to major in music.

Bands: All-New England, All-State, Weaver; Orchestra; Class Treasurer.



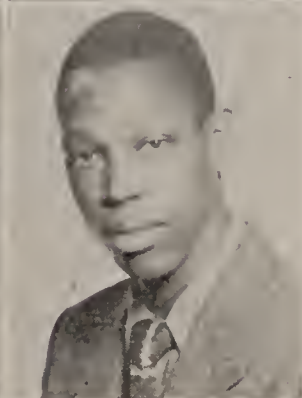
### FREDERICK WALLACE

Rather reserved . . . well known as a skiing enthusiast . . . has now taken up golf . . . very athletic . . . really nice person . . . Weaver's first golf champion (of the future!).

### RITA VACCARI

Known for her giggle . . . once entertained first lunchers by receiving a pudding shampoo! . . . very entertaining and full of vitality . . . plans nursing as a career.

Girls' League.



### OLIVER WALLACE

Nice fellow . . . liked by all who know him . . . quiet chap . . . "still water runs deep," they say . . . plans for future indefinite.

Leaders' Corps; Track Team.



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### WILLA WALTON

Wonderful personality . . . very friendly . . . known for genial nature and cooperation . . . states that Weaver is "tops", and she should know! . . . has attended **six** other schools!

Girls' League; **Lookout** Business Board.



### MORTON WEINBERG

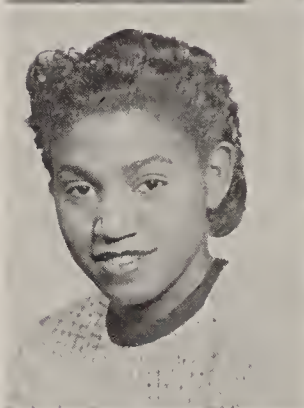
"Mort" . . . smooth operator . . . expert dancer . . . inviting bass voice and chuckle . . . partial to women and A. Y. M. . . enjoys sports and popular music . . . an asset to any group.

Choir; Intramural Sports.

### ROSE WARREN

"Ro" . . . usually seen wearing a bright smile . . . interests include picture collecting, reading, and singing . . . enjoys sports, especially football . . . future plans — office typist.

Girls' League.



### IRENE WEINER

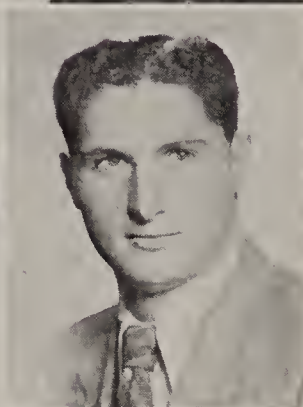
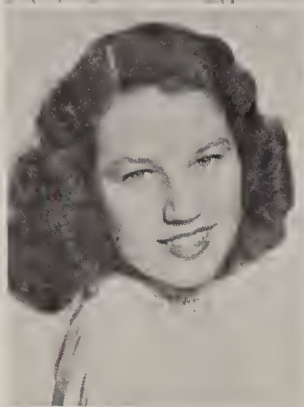
Sports attractive combination of dark hair and blue eyes . . . piano enthusiast . . . will soon continue at business college . . . one of Weaver's friendly students.

Clubs: Biology, Business; Girls' League.

### MARJORIE WATERHOUSE

"Margie" . . . that gal in the guidance office . . . cute, smart, and talkative . . . always ready with a mischievous grin . . . bubbling over with school spirit . . . rates sports and school activities tops.

Business Club; Cheerleader; Girls' League; Leaders' Corps; Honor Society; **Lookout** Typist; Nominating Committee; Girls' Sports; Testatrix.



### EDWIN WEINTRAUB

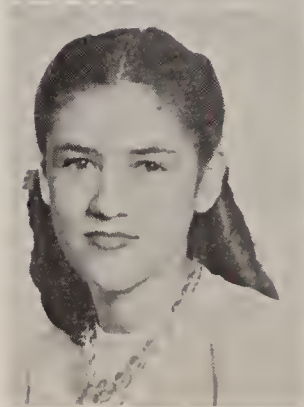
"Ed" . . . often tagged "Noodles" . . . 6 ft., 200 pounds, and what shoulders! . . . "a real man," the women say! . . . Weaver's own Fritz Kreisler . . . partial to music and athletics . . . liked Weaver's "so-called freedom."

Football Squad; Orchestra.

### MARILYN WATKINS

"Mitzie" . . . quiet and petite . . . possesses a sweet disposition . . . record collecting and reading make up special interests . . . bound for business school . . . liked Weaver's friendly atmosphere, but not "all the homework!"

Clubs: Biology, Business; Girls' League; Honor Society.



### WILLIAM WESTLEY

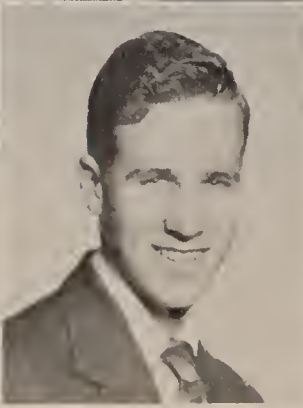
"Billy the Kid" . . . friendly grin has won wide renown . . . always ready with an answer . . . women top outdoor man "Billy's" list . . . sports a sharp convertible!

Intramural Sports; Jr. Prom Committee; Leaders' Corps; Squads: Basketball, Track.

### FAYE WAXMAN

"Waxy" . . . Hi there! . . . friendly and sincere . . . good conversationalist . . . record enthusiast . . . sympathetic ear for your troubles . . . will help you if she can.

Clubs: Business, Ingleside; Girls' League



### EDWARD WHITE

"Speed" . . . a tall, bashful fellow with a mischievous grin . . . never seen in a hurry . . . detective stories enthrall him . . . what made Study Hall so enticing, "Ed"? . . . Uncle Sam's Navy beckons.

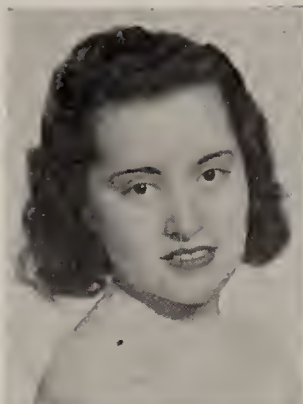
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#### MINNIE WHITE

A friendly miss with a smile for all . . . interested in all girls' sports . . . enjoys ice skating . . . a future white collar girl.

Biology Club; Girls' League.



#### AUDREY YOUNG

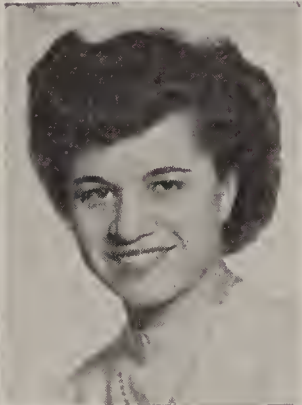
"Aud" . . . tall with beautiful green eyes . . . eager Beaver . . . library helper . . . a wonderful housewife 'cause she can cook! . . . known for her change of hairdos.

Choir; Leaders' Corps; Girls' League.

#### VIOLA WILSON

"Vi" . . . neat dresser . . . keen about sports . . . enjoys ice skating and dancing . . . swell personality . . . looks forward to career as hairdresser, then housewife.

Girls' League; Girls' Sports; Ingleside Club.

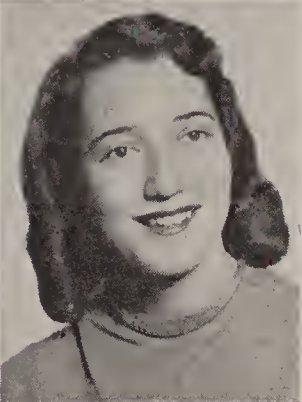
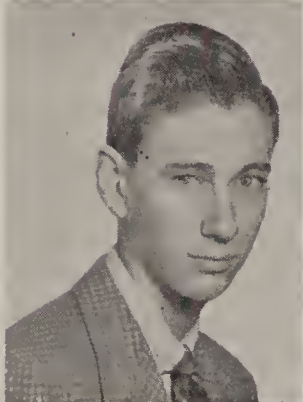


#### MARY ZANETTOS

Mary . . . true Grecian type . . . likes to sew and draw . . . makes her own clothes . . . aims to attend art school . . . lunch periods were "con-foozin' but ammoozin'" to her! Clubs: Art-Crafts, Ingleside; Girls' Sports.

#### ROBERT WISE

"Whistler" . . . tall and lanky . . . quiet except among friends . . . good companion and a true friend . . . fond of animals . . . hopes to have a farm!



#### BARBARA ZIFF

"Babs" . . . tall, slender build . . . dreamy expression in her eyes . . . looks toward Ocean Beach in the summer, and Springfield during the other seasons!

Clubs: Biology, Record; Foreign Policy Ass'n; Girls' League.

#### RICHARD ZIFF

"Dick" . . . regular fellow . . . everybody's buddy . . . always smiling . . . always laughing in his own peculiar way . . . strictly O. K. with the fair sex . . . college and more good times come next.

Clubs: Biology, Camera; Squads: Track, Cross-Country; Intramural Sports.



#### ANGELINE GIACHELLO

"Angie" . . . a really striking girl with a really striking figure . . . many have succumbed to her winning smile and suave manner . . . champion note passer in 227 study hall.

Girls' League.

#### LEVERNE MORELAND

"Verne" . . . swell personality . . . appeals to both sexes . . . enjoys making over old clothes with result—fine new fashions . . . drawing one of her hobbies . . . hopes to attend art school. Girls' League.

#### EDWARD MOSELY

"Eddie" . . . serious-minded and quiet, especially around the weaker sex . . . enjoys reading good books . . . builds model airplanes in spare time . . . looks forward to attending Hampton Institute.

#### LOUIS MOSELY

One of the quiet chaps about school . . . music holds his attention . . . considers years at Weaver "very pleasant" . . . hopes for career in music somewhere.

#### GERALD OPPENHEIMER

"Gerry" . . . diverse interests include piano, all sorts of writing, acting, and directing plays and operettas . . . even medicine . . . always well dressed and polite.

Tennis Team.

#### ELIZABETH HAGAN

"Betty" . . . gorgeous red hair . . . very sincere in character and speech . . . especially interested in horses . . . all-around athlete . . . ability to get along with everyone.

Girls' League; Leaders' Corps.

#### MIRIAM PIVNICK

"Min" . . . curly light-brown locks . . . sparkling personality . . . aspires some day to appear on stage . . . says of Weaver: "Oh, those muscle-bound men!" . . .

Girls' League.



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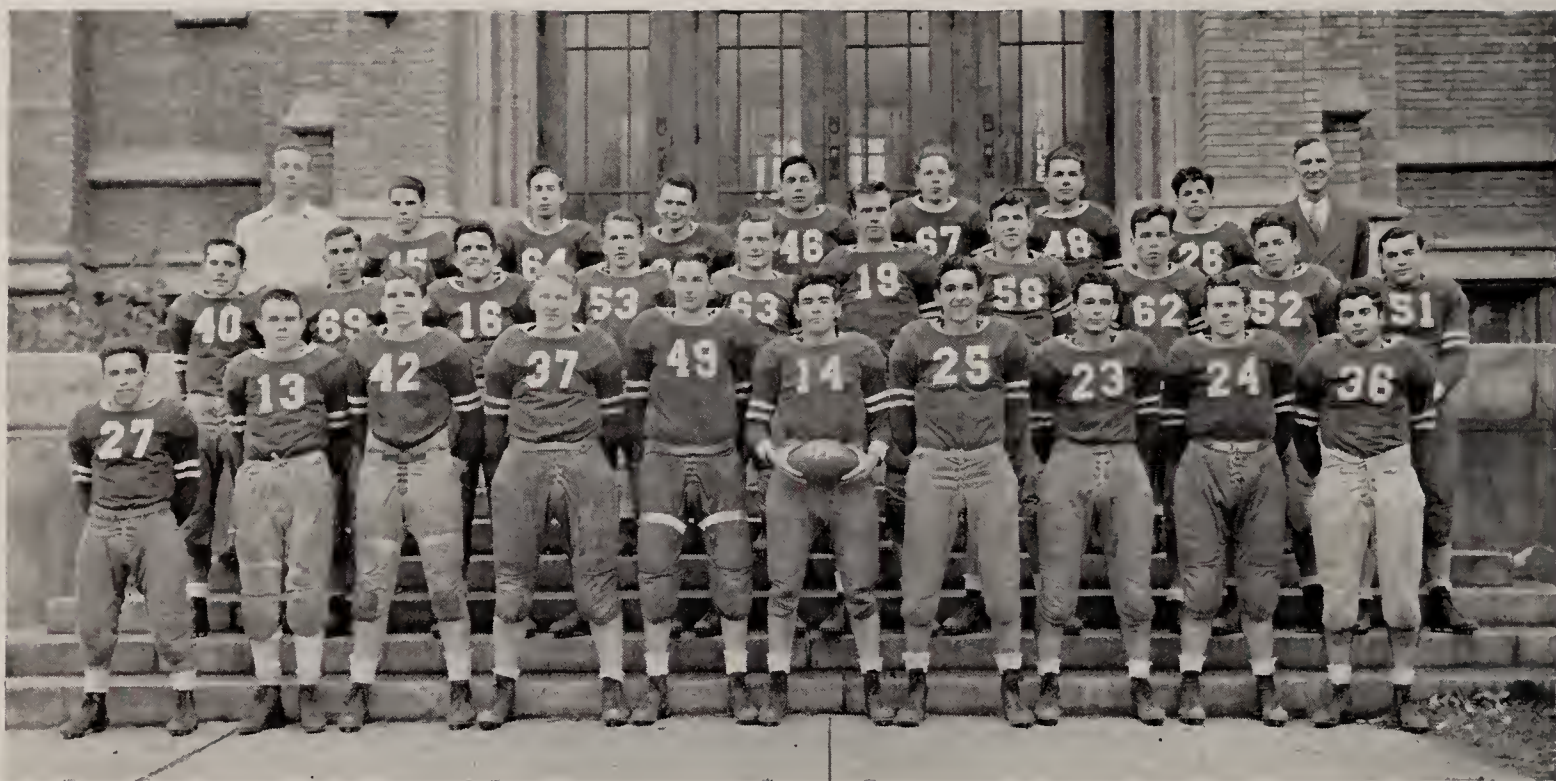


# ACTIVITIES





## Football - 1946



**Front Row, left to right:** Jenks, Lund, Linden, Burgie, Jackson, Lee, Kaufman, Puglise, Callahan, Sayadoff.  
**Second Row:** Morris, Grody, Bermont, Fiorello, Higgins, Pelletier, Easinsky, McDonald, Cecere, Schuman. **Back Row:** Dodge, D. Linden, DeLucco, Zangetti, Burbridge, Smith, Canali, Coach Gipson.

Unvictorious though it was, the 1946 football team will be remembered as one of the most valiant, loyal, and courageous that has ever worn the Green and White of Weaver. It was a team that played its heart out in the face of insurmountable odds and never stopped fighting until the sound of the final gun.

Born in the wake of Weaver's most successful gridiron array, our 1946 pigskin gladiators faced a season of veteran competition strengthened by the thirst for revenge, brought about by the humiliating defeats of past years. Although twenty-four lettermen had graduated, and only one was returning, optimistic believers still expected that Coach Charles Gipson would come up with one of his usually successful gridiron combines. Coach Gipson molded together a well rounded team, but he was not able to give his boys that most important requisite of gridiron competition — experience.

Fumblitis, due to nervousness and stage fright, was the deciding factor in Weaver's opener, a 12-0 defeat by Hamden. Sparked by the aggressive play of Center Marty Kaufman and Wingback Dewey Lund, but harassed by costly fumbles, Weaver dropped a heart-breaker to a weak East Hartford eleven, 7-0. The Gipson men met omnipotent Hall in the mud and rain of Munie Stadium, and a battering fullback powered his team to a 34-0 rout of the spirited but outclassed Green and White warriors. Weaver scored its first touchdown of the season in the Leavenworth game on an Al Grody to Ed Higgins aerial which carried



thirty-five yards, but just couldn't muster enough power to eke out a win and went down, 7-6. Although it showed plenty of class and determination, the Beaver eleven still couldn't cope with a Chapman Tech air attack which provided the punch for a 14-6 victory for the Whaling City gridsters. Fast, shifty Maroon halfbacks broke into the clear for long gains and spelled doom for the Spartan-spirited Beavers in the annual Armistice day clash at Municipal Stadium. Although the score, 32-6, indicated a decisive victory for Bulkeley, the battle was actually a close one, and the majority of Bulkeley's scores were made from far out. Again luck prevailed as Torrington took advantage of the breaks to beat Weaver in another hard-fought contest, 7-0. With the thought of last year's humiliating defeat still keen in their minds, a veteran Blue and White eleven from H.P.H.S. stalemated both the offense and defense of valiant Weaver, as it went all out to win by a score of 34-0.

Dick Chappell, the powerful, pulverizing fullback, was a consistent ground gainer and also did a yeomanlike job of backing up the line and filling in at one of the tackle slots. Marty Kaufman, broad-shouldered pivot, was always on the job behind the line, on defense and sending out his direct spiral snaps on offense. Johnny Jackson, one of the regular wingmen, turned in a fine job at keeping the team out of danger by his long booming punts, which gained for him the reputation of one of the best kickers in state scholastic competition, and also the honor of being the only member of the 1946 team to be selected for a berth on the All-District team.

With many lettermen returning, Weaver can look forward to a successful season in 1947.

May we hope that the spirit shown by our 1946 football team will serve as an incentive to inspire the Weaver athletic teams which will take the field in sports competition in years to come.

*Hartford Gets Even!*



*It was good fun, anyway!*







## Cross-Country 1947

### CROSS-COUNTRY TEAM

**Front Row, left to right:** Melanson, Sillano, Biederman, Blanker, Jacobson, Friery.  
**Second Row:** Strauss, Ungaro, Goss, DeSantis, Pashko. **Last Row:** Mr. Burke, J. Hurwitz, Gilbert, Duval, Lebowitz, Mr. Lund.

Sparked by Walter Blanker and Robert Biederman, Coach Ralph Lund's unsung knights of the cinder track completed a slightly better than average season by winning four, losing two, and placing eighth in the state meet at Wesleyan. The Green and White harriers were victors over Bristol, East Hartford, Middletown and New Britain, and were defeated by Manchester, State Champs, and Hartford High, runners-up for the state title. Besides Blanker and Biederman, yearlings Irving Gilbert, Richard Melanson, and Arthur Sillano are highly touted prospects for next year. Since all members of the squad are sophomores and juniors, next year looms as a banner one for Weaver's cross-country team.

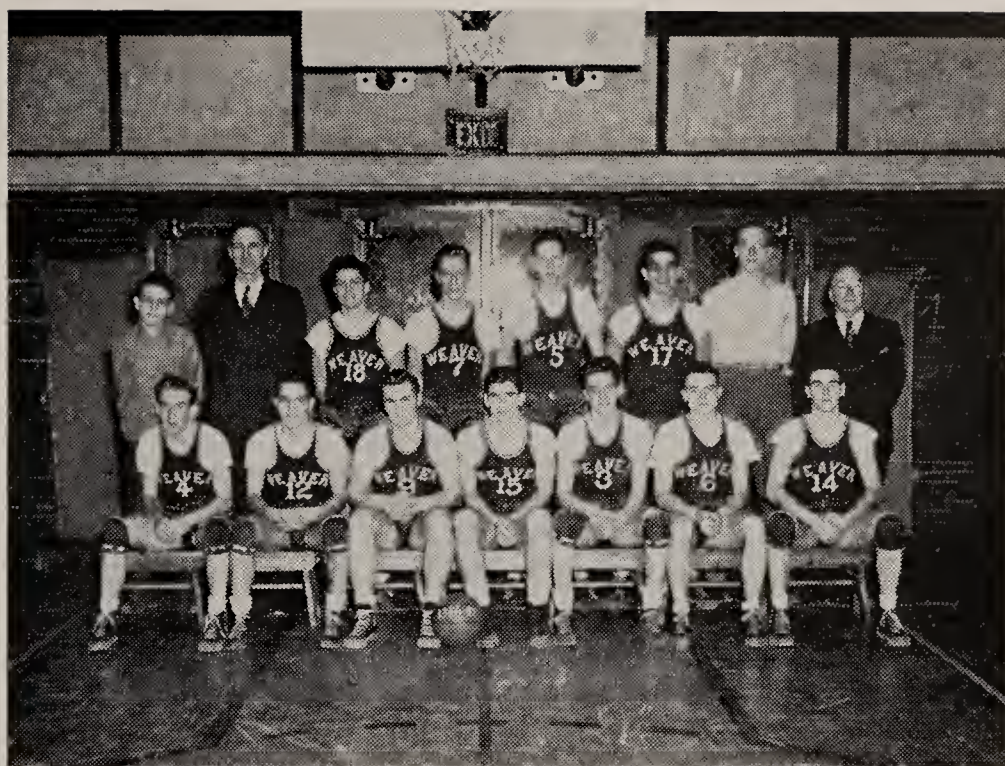
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## Basketball

**Front Row, left to right:** Moriarty, Morris, Chappell, Linden, Macres, Lund, Lee. **Back Row:** Richman, Coach Gipson, Canali, Horowitz, Burbridge, Kaufman, Dodge, Mr. Burke.



Usually outclassed, but never outfought, the 1947 Weaver basketball team compiled a mediocre record of eleven losses and five wins. For the most part, however, every contest was a close one until midway into the third quarter, when five green-clad lads just seemed to succumb to exhaustion, and a superior foe would pull away to build up a sizable margin of victory. This is no discredit to the Green and White courtmen since they very rarely ceased playing a spirited brand of ball until the sound of the final horn. Lacking in both height and capable reserves, Weaver's five atomic-sized hoopsters really had to exert themselves week in and week out to compete with taller, more experienced opposition. A close-checking man-to-man defense was Weaver's most potent weapon. The flashy ball-handling, aggressive rebounding, and clever floor play of pivot "Nickie" Macres spearheaded the 1947 combine. "Moe" Moriarity held down the right forward spot and his occasional scoring sprees determined his claim to the high scoring honors for the season. Tommy Lee turned in a highly commendable performance at the other forward spot. Jackie Morris and Dick Chappell were the stalwarts in the back court. The former was very proficient at intercepting passes, while the latter was particularly adept as a scorer and rebounder. Nonchalant Al Linden saw limited service, due to a leg injury incurred during the football season. Dewey Lund, Marty Kaufman, Sandy Horowitz, Don Burbridge, and Vin Canali experienced considerable action as reserves.

With three veteran juniors and a host of potential sophomore material, Coach Gipson can look forward to a more successful season in 1948.



# The Good Old Days





# Spring Sports

## TRIBUTE TO "MR. MAC"

During our Junior High School days, most of us were warned by our gym instructors that we should absorb as much athletics as possible, since most boys would not have the opportunity to do so at Weaver where only varsity sports were scheduled. In our first year at Weaver we found this to be true. However, this situation changed notably just two short years ago. The reason for this change was that "Mr. Mac" (Howard H. MacMullen) had come to Weaver. At first, when "Mr. Mac" told us his plans, we were somewhat skeptical, but as time progressed, "Mr. Mac" accomplished miraculous feats. He organized a

Boys' Leaders' Corps, which now takes an active part in gym instruction during regularly scheduled classes and in many extra-curricular activities. He organized intra-mural leagues in touch football, basketball, golf, handball, tennis, track, and softball. Chiefly through his efforts the winners in the Senior, Junior, and Sophomore leagues of these sports played off against the other city high schools for the city championship. With a program such as this, fellows who otherwise might not have participated in sports during high school can do so. No one is rejected; everyone has an equal chance to play, no matter who he is or what his capabilities may be. Because of these accomplishments there is a soft spot for "Mr. Mac" in the heart of every boy who has ever come in contact with him.

Above all, "Mr. Mac" has taught his boys to put into practice the ideals of sportsmanship and brotherhood, which they learn in classrooms and in houses of worship.

For all this, WE SALUTE YOU, "MR. MAC."



*"Mr. Mac" explains how*

## TRACK

Although weak in most of the field events, Weaver's 1947 track team has almost Herculean capacities in all the running events. Bunny Antupit, Ken Hester, John Singletary, and Dewey Lund will handle the sprint events, while Oliver Wallace and Lund will reign supreme in the 440. The relay team will probably be composed of some of the above-mentioned dashmen. In the half-mile Charlie Meadow will have to carry the brunt of the burden. In the mile, Blanker and Biederman can be counted on to turn in many creditable performances. The latter may possibly assist Meadow in the middle distance running. Al Sicilia, Irwin Cohen, and Macey Katz will handle the discus, javelin, and shot put, respectively. Johnny Jackson and Abe Landerman will compete in the broad jump. Assistance from Jamieson, Stuart, Milner, and Fiorillo later in the season may help to make this a notably successful season for Coach Charlie Gipson.



## BASEBALL

With tryouts still being held and the opening game a few weeks away, nothing too certain can be said about the 1947 baseball team. This being the case, we warn that what follows has only the confirmation of a crystal ball and a pair of crossed fingers.

Big Al and Dick Linden appear to be the almost undisputed masters of first base and catch, respectively. Alexander and Monahan might lend some assistance at the first sack, while Black or Reid could possibly help out behind the plate. The rest of the infield is strictly an eenie, meenie, mienie, moe situation, with a wealth of material and a shortage of positions. The most outstanding candidates are Eddy DeMino, Dave Slitt, "Long John" Malone, and Lee Williams. Other potentialities are Sal Taverna, Jerry Reid, and Sandy Horowitz. Moriarity and McBrien are almost certain to retain their fielding positions, while either Defemia, Gilbert, or Hamburg will complete the trio.

Arnie Ritvo has plenty of stuff, and at this stage of the season he appears to be the brightest luminary of the mound corps. However, veteran Tim Krechevsky, and possibly Tommy Lee, can be counted on to turn in fine performances on the mound.

All-in-all, the situation looks favorable for Coach Walter Aschenbach in his first season as coach at Weaver.

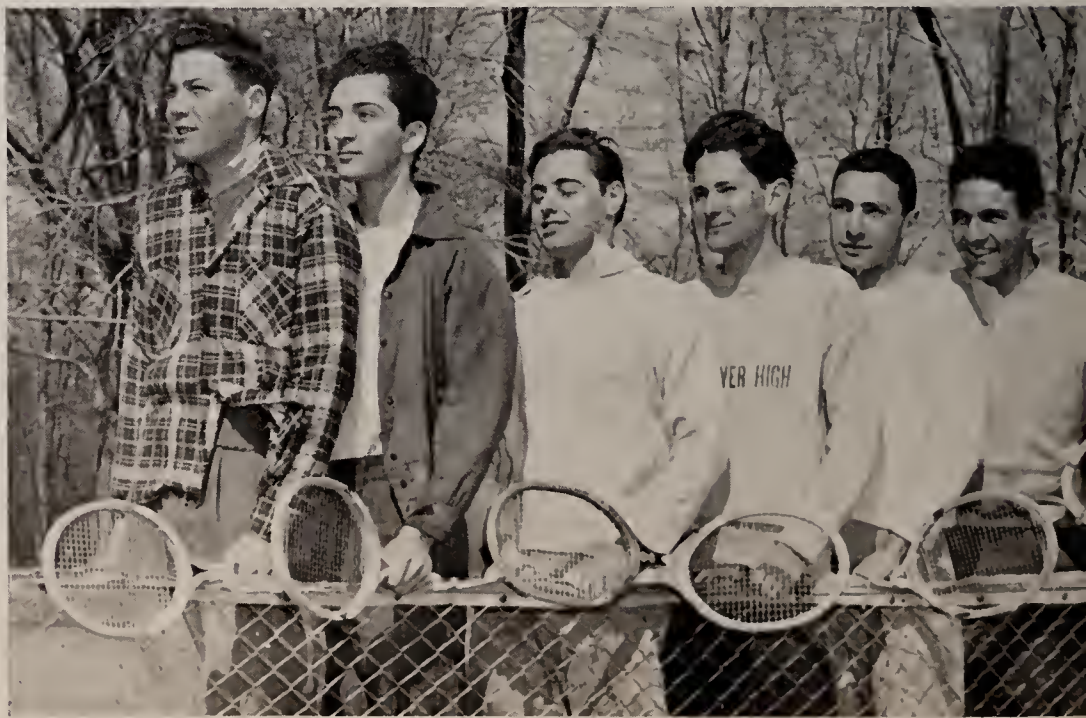
## GOLF

Not much can be said of the 1947 linkmen as they are yet untried. Letterman Bob Melanson is the only veteran returning from last year's team. Earl Forman, Dan Gottlieb, Dan Kenny, Shike Epstein, Will Waldron, Tom Sullivan, and John Meskill are some of the potential club-swingers of whom the squad will be composed. Coach Andrews plans to keep a full team of eight, of whom four will participate in the matches. With such good material and fine coaching, this year's club is certain to have a very good season.

## TENNIS

Connecticut's scholastic racquet champions eagerly await the coming season during which they hope to emerge victorious in all contests and eventually capture the state title again. Everything is with the Beaver netmen to achieve such an accomplishment. Co-Captains Bernie Epstein and Ellie Channin will be the mainstays, while Monty Scherzer, a seasoned veteran, can also be counted on to perform creditably. Outstanding senior candidates are Myron Hurwitz, Dan Leon, Mike Daly, and Wilson Piney.

The **Portal** wishes Coach John Preu and his team the best of luck for a successful season.



TENNIS SQUAD

Left to right: Herman, Scherzer, Channin, Epstein, Hurwitz, Leon.





3. Miss H. Haselton advises. 1. Col. Furlong and Mr. Burke — Whatever did happen to Trieste anyway? 4. Library Study — Somebody's camera hungry. 5. Timid Charlie's having a hard time! 6. Look at the birdie, girls; we'll look at you. 7. Is that Mr. **Van** a popular guy! 8. Mr. Winslow and true education. (Nancy Higgins had a late date the night before.)



## GIRLS'



*Everybody has a good time*



*Kerins sends one on the way*

With the beginning of school in September came the beginning of the soccer season. The sport was played every Wednesday and Thursday after school during the fall season. Many girls showed up with enthusiasm because they found the sport interesting and enjoyable. The able captain, Jean Miele, did much to see that each team in the competition showed good sportsmanship and that every girl was ready to "kick that ball". When old man Winter appeared on the scene, these players reluctantly dismissed the soccer season and gladly welcomed basketball.

As usual, basketball began with a bang, and a large crowd "went out" for it. The group was divided into six teams. The captains chosen were Jeanne Anderson, Gerry Davin, Jean Miele, Anita Pelletier, and Joyce Scopetta. Delores Angelo was officially in charge of the sport after school.

Every Tuesday and Thursday the girls would rush down to the gym, anxious to play, rush up onto the floor, but when they looked up to the balcony, would feel like rushing downstairs again, for who would be sitting up there but the entire boys' basketball team (alias the "Pros") and sometimes even more! We wouldn't have minded too much, but we ask you, "How can a person look glamorous in those awful gym bloomers?"

The first tournament played by mixed teams (Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors) was won by Jean Anderson's team consisting of Evelyn Fennelly, Norma Lewis, Audrey Raye, Bernice Cieri, Faye Pahuskin, Katherine Stone, and Barbara Clark. The second tournament



# SPORTS

played between Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors was won by the Seniors — naturally! — led by Rosemarie Vecchiola. The team consisted of Jean Miele, Lulu Kerins, Margie Waterhouse, Gerry Shear, Gerry Davin, and Rose Goldstein.

Volleyball was played both in the fall and in the spring. ("How did it rate?") On alternating Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, girls could be seen dashing down to the gym and onto the court for a little friendly practice before tournament play-offs began. Irene Colturi, the chairman of volleyball, organized the many girls who turned out for the sport into teams, which played against each other. Lively competition made an enjoyable game all the more exciting. (How many warm friendships were broken because of an over-eagerness to be champs!) However, all was in fun, and volleyball was enjoyed by all who participated.

*Cheerleaders at rest and in action*



Softball made a grand entrance as the first outdoor activity this spring. As is customary, a great many girls turned out every afternoon that the game was played. Under the capable direction of softball chairman Anita Pelletier, the girls were organized into teams, whose battle cry was: "We're going to be champs; just try to stop us!" The girls made a pretty picture out on the field in their crisp blue and white uniforms, playing a well-loved game in the warm spring sunshine. (Maybe that's why so many of the boys were late in getting to work those afternoons!) Many a Senior girl will always remember those lively and happy sessions.



# 1947 PORTAL



## Best Looking

Jean Goldberg  
Glenna Fitzgerald

Elihu Channin  
James Papillo

## Cutest

Arlyne Greenberg  
Marjorie Waterhouse

David Becker  
Daniel Callahan

## Best Dancer

Mary Bonadies  
Jean Goldberg

Myron Hurwitz  
Thomas Lee

## Quietest

Beverly Reilly

Raymond McTeague  
Herbert Moses

## Best Personality

Rita Lifton  
Mary Bonadies  
Geraldine Davin

Richard Graham  
David Corn

## Best Dressed

Pearl Haber  
Domenica Tolisano

Myron Hurwitz  
Nicholas Macres

## Most Capable

Marilyn Nassau  
Gilda Schiavone

Daniel Gottlieb  
Daniel Kenny

## Most Nonchalant

Dorothy Solon  
Helen Panchuck

Albert Linden  
Robert Dahill

## Most Talkative

Kathleen Cahill  
Minna Bassok

Richard Graham  
Burton Kramer

## Most Angelic

Kayleen Kagan  
Mary Padua

Eugene Moriarty  
Francis Mayock





# POPULARITY POLL

## Most Popular

Mary Bonadies  
Marjorie Waterhouse

Peter DelMastro  
Richard Graham

## Best Athlete

Jeanne Miele  
Mary Padua

Albert Linden  
Thomas Lee

## Most Entertaining

Geraldine Davin  
Minna Bassok

Seymour Harris  
Peter Sayadoff

## Most Studious

June Herron

Herbert Lessow

## Most Service to Weaver

Gilda Schiavone

Daniel Gottlieb  
David Becker

## Best Disposition

Kathleen Cahill  
Jane Chesler

Richard Chappell  
Daniel Kenny

## Most Serious

June Herron

Herbert Lessow

## Most Mischievous

Geraldine Davin  
Jeanne Miele

Burton Lowe  
Marvin Bloom

## Most Artistic

Pearl Haber

Herman Baren  
Alvin Lapuk

## Most Literary

Rosalind Roth  
Doris Huempel

Harvey Frauenglass  
Jay Shapiro





# History of the Class of 1947

(or College Application 1960)

Decorum Institute

*An Institution Specializing in Monkey Business*

Our Motto: "You too can swing by your tail!"

Name: Stanislouse Beaver

Are you of age? Not yet; I'm only 32.

When were you graduated from high school and what have you been doing since? Since 1947 I have been collecting garbage, to feed my family. I have been married for ten years and have thirteen children. (You figure it out!)

Have you applied to any other colleges? If so, how many: Yes. To  $133\frac{1}{2}$ . (Half stands for U. Conn. Extension.)

Have you been accepted? Are you kiddin'?

What did you consider important about your high school career? Be concise.

Well, to make a short spiel long . . .

'Twas the morning of school and all through the house,  
Not a creature was stirring except me, Stanislouse.

My heart throbbed faster and faster with dire emotion as I read over and over the postcard labeled "Personal. You are cordially invited to sit in Room 171, September . . . 1944. We hope no previous engagement will prevent you from attending. Your humble servant, Frank H. Burke." With the innocence of a sophomore, I waltzed to school with my September beauty, the last rose of summer, Ida Knowe, on my arm.

After three seniors had sent me running to the boys' room, the girls' gym, and the janitors' storeroom, when I asked where Room 171 was, a kind-hearted teacher finally directed me to a room way out in the wilderness. The homeroom teacher was enjoying a white candy stick. I later found out that it was a piece of chalk.

I found a crossword puzzle at my desk which later turned out to be my schedule — still a puzzle. My hectic first day finally came to a glorious conclusion with a seventh period study in the lunchroom. Boy, did I have a crumby seat! (half-pun)

Sitting in Mr. Carrier's algebra class I noticed smoke out the window. Could the smokers in the men's lounge have gone on a binge? When three fire trucks drove up, I knew it couldn't be a cigarette — it was a whole carton! But seriously, the coal pile had blown its top. As Mr. Walsh would say, it was "spontaneous something."

"Streaky" Coledesky named the Weaver Beaver "Ipse" showing that our sophomore class had some hope. . . . The housing shortage became so acute that they moved me into a study hall with a bunch of intellectuals (so we thought as sophomores) called seniors





(now that we're seniors we know better). . . . The school routine was halted in respect to Mrs. Margaret Davis Jackson, the girls' physical education assistant in the gymnasium who passed away. . . . The senior-sophomore party got off with a bang with Marie Elena, woman magician. Ida was somewhat bewildered as she watched Marie Elena produce rabbits! At the end of the first marking period Ida and I celebrated; we had compiled a C average. She got 4 A's, and I finished with 4 F's.

It was just about this time that Arlyne Greenberg found out she couldn't use the boys' locker room. . . . Choir started its fourteenth year (Ida and I lent our throaty voices). . . . Maxwell Drug reported record sale of cough drops. . . . Our terrific football team lost to Hartford and Bulkeley that year. I am now writing a book, "Football, as Played from the Bench." (With all my slivers Ida and I could start a toothpick factory.) . . . Edgar "Methuselah" Carrier made the scoop for the nth time. He needs only three more inches, and he'll have his hundred for National Quill and Scroll. The Sixth War Loan Drive hit four times its quota. Netted \$45,000. My 10c stamp did it!

Weaver teachers again did their bit as they aided in rehabilitation work at Bradley Hospital. . . . Projection Squad celebrated its fifth anniversary—Ida wants to know why Weaver doesn't get first run movies. Dat's my girl—she's so smart! . . . The "Lookout" made an attempt at humor with a new column: "For Me and My Gal." A Navy ship was posthumously dedicated to the Weaver hero, Alex Diachenko, who did an outstanding job in the war. . . . I was so thrilled to get to the Goodwill Formal with Ida that year. After all, she had only asked three seniors before me. She couldn't understand why they refused. But true love found her mate. . . . Ida and the gang beat their brains out wondering what the magic numbers on all the blackboards were. Sport Night cleared up that mystery.

Weaver fooled all the critics. Ida and I almost tore down the rafters at the New Haven Arena as Weaver became the first Hartford team ever to go to the state basketball finals. We lost in an overtime thriller, 32-25, to Hill-house. We also went to the New England tournament in the Boston Garden. We lost there, too (overtime again). We all got lumps in our throats when we heard of Roger Woodbury's death in an airplane crash in Italy. The war was really hitting home. . . . Weaver night came along. Mr. Owen got a big thrill—he made up the girls for Weaver night. This first production, a tribute to the United Nations, was a huge success. . . . Weaver swept the city oratorical contest for the fifth consecutive year. Ida thought the Bulkeley orator should have won—he was so good-looking. . . . Our buddy, Mr. Melvin G. Crowell,

*Remember? the swinging doors!*





delivered his thesis on spring fever — Earl "Sleepy" Forman, please take note. Mr. Price retired from his music career and directorship of the Weaver Choir. Weaver will miss him.

And then the fateful day of April 12, 1945 came along. Our capable and unselfish leader, Franklin D. Roosevelt, slipped away, a few weeks short of grasping that which he had fought so hard to obtain. For on May 5 the Germans finally surrendered. . . . Sport Night came — Ida was on the Blue team through no volition of her own — black and blue team! The Greens were champs that year. . . . The Larrabees did it again — Dickie was added to the menagerie. Ditto for the Preus. . . . Beginning the following year Weaver students would be able to flunk Spanish under Miss Conklin's able guidance. . . . I was glad the senior boys were leaving at last. Now, maybe Ida would pay a little more attention to me — Little did I know! Finally summer vacation came, and Ida and I went to work on a tobacco farm. Does your cigarette taste different lately? And then it finally happened. I was standing on Main Street in front of Liggett's all dressed up in my Boy Scout uniform, fondly caressing my Tenderfoot Pin when a little old lady hobbled up to me and said, "You great, big hero, you!" The war was over. Japan had succumbed to our atom bomb power.

Not long after, another shock occurred. Ida and I were juniors — back in school. . . . To start things off right, the Art-Crafts Club sponsored its first formal, "emceed" by Joe Girand. (Need we say more?) Mr. MacMullen, better known as Mr. Mac, organized a nifty intra-mural program. Ida says if Charlie Gipson can't appreciate me, then now (after this write-up) maybe Mr. Mac will. Disaster!! Ida and I could finally let our insurance policies lapse. When we dash for the bus at 2:30 o'clock, we needn't worry about making sophs of ourselves by falling over "the bump" in the annex. It's made like the "Lost Weekend." It's gone! For the first time we politically-minded intellectuals gained access to the inner

*"A bunch of intellectuals!"*







M. C. Joe Girand ("need we say more")

circle of the Foreign Policy Ass'n. Our own Ida was contemplating running for office. As for me, I was just running.

Ida and I fell asleep as we watched the momentous Weaver Thanksgiving Festival. We woke up in the midst of the "Lookout" burlesque of "Julius Caesar." It was terrific! . . . To boost the Thanksgiving spirit, a powerful Weaver eleven crushed both Bulkeley and H. P. H. S. with scores of 25-0 and 58-6, respectively. Kids, we did it again. **Again** heck! — for the first time in four years. We were also hailed as the second best eleven in the state. . . . This year the Goodwill Formal didn't make for goodwill between Ida and me. I had the audacity to accept the invitation of another femme (fatale). I thought Ida would have puppies! . . . That's how smart I am! . . . Christmas rolled around as it usually does in December. This year I was lucky. Ida and I were still angry, and I didn't have to buy her a Christmas present. (Cheap! !)

After a hectic New Year's, we came back to hear the Don Cossacks at the Bushnell Memorial and to see the "Voice," Bernard Jacobson, take second place in the city-wide American Legion Oratorical Contest. . . . Another sign of the termination of hostilities was the return of Miss Fraser and Miss Lord (but they started again with Miss Lord's return!) . . . Cupid's arrow found its mark again. Miss Mary Hogan of the office staff was married. With this incentive, I tried to make up with Ida. Miss Agnes Hogan, however, cooled my advances when she dished out two demerits for paying more attention to Ida's figure than those on the board. Sob! My first two demerits!





You caption this one!  
(French Class)

In March I was chosen to represent Weaver at the New England Music Festival at New Britain. They picked me for my musical ability; no one can play the phonograph the way I can. Not to be outdone by the girls, the Boys' Leaders' Corps was initiated in March. Ida can't wait till they make me muscles! A new project was undertaken at Weaver and the other Hartford schools, the Junior Achievement Companies. Ida and I were attracted by the radio company which attempted to acquaint students with the various phases of the business world.

Weaver's basketball quintet garnered the city title, but flopped in the state tourney. Oh well, we can't be aces every

year. . . . We were all impressed and inspired by the orations delivered by Jay Shapiro, who placed second; Florence Vallon and Dave Becker in the first Freedom League Oratorical Contest on Brotherhood, sponsored by U. Conn. . . . After the contest, Ida, imbued with the spirit of brotherhood, accepted my invitation to the Junior Prom. That was a night to remember. "Oh, how we danced on the night that we went." . . . Even though the fire marshal tore down all our decorations, we blissfully closed our eyes and danced to the strains of Tony Frank's orchestra. Ain't love grand! . . .

Ida took her English teacher to the annual Junior Faculty Tea in April. She hadn't been doing too well that marking period. Shlurp, shlurp. . . . Ouch! "T. B. or not T. B. That is the congestion. Can-sumption be done about it? Of corpse, of corpse!" "Kissing spreads disease, it's stated, but kiss me, sister, I'm vaccinated!" That's what we all said after we had our tuberculin tests. That year we had 100% participation. And would you believe it, only a few fellows fainted. (I wasn't one of them. Ida would have been so embarrassed.) . . . In May there was much ado about (nothing) Sport Night. This year the Green again proved victorious over the Blue. Oh well, cheer up, Ida. . . . Weaver's racqueteers became the first Green tennis team ever to cop the state championship (Bernie Epstein and Monte Scherzer paid a high price for this one!) . . . Along with Mr. Robins, Miss Small, and Mr. Hall, Miss Faith Talcott, Weaver's beloved dean of girls, retired in June.

Again the Girls' League held its installation of officers. We realized that we would soon be seniors when we saw our own Gilda Schiavone pledge her loyalty in an impressive Candlelight Ceremony with Jane Chesler, first vice-president, and Mary Padua, treasurer. Paul La Flamme added new laurels to Weaver when he was elected president of the



Junior Board of Directors of the Hartford Tuberculosis and Public Health Society. Then school was over and a long vacation ahead. All summer long we worked for the park department in Keney Park, pushing the benches from tree to tree. What a dog's life!

No-o, the inevitable had to come, but the long grind was almost over. This was the last mile. There were lots of new faces around besides the sophomores, including the new dean of girls, Katherine R. Goodwin, former Lieutenant Colonel in the Woman's Army Corps, and the new vice-principal, William F. Aitken, former principal of the Henry Barnard School. . . . The All-State Chorus, Band, and Orchestra held their joint concert at Weaver. Ida liked the "Student Prince Overture" best because the prince was very cute. Then they played "The Rampage of the Old Gray Mare." I never knew there were so many bookies in Weaver!

Then that wonderful, wonderful **Portal Board** was chosen (what a plug, huh!) . . . 31 seniors were elected to the Honor Society. Ida was so peeved. According to her she JUST missed it! . . . The November, 1946 elections took place. Republicans swept into office. . . . Miss Bickford held a welcome back party. Jordan Muchnick donned an elephant-patterned tie. . . . We forgot to mention the Weaver football season — on purpose. Joe Ungaro took first place in the Freedom League Oratorical Contest. Marvin Bloom, David Neiditz, and Rosalind Roth also placed. . . . Gilda Schiavone received the DAR Good Citizenship Award. Ida garnered two votes (from guess who?). . . . December and the Goodwill Formal came and went. Another formal, but a nice one.

Weaver played host to the Junior Town Meeting of the Air with Rita Gershman representing the Green and White. Ida asked a really bright question, but the amplifying system didn't work just then. . . . The Hartford teachers narrowly averted a strike for more pay.

*"Tops in original High School entertainment"*





*Everybody seems  
happy —  
Freedom League  
Program*



Ida said, "I think the poor darlings deserve at least \$18 a week." So don't give up, teachers. Remember, they did it at Buffalo. You, too, can do it! . . . The Hartford Men Teachers' Club established a loan scholarship in honor of Roger Woodbury, a former Weaver teacher, killed in Europe, to benefit some deserving student who wishes to enter the teaching profession.

In February, at an assembly, the Weaver alumni association, faculty, and clubs presented to Weaver a portrait of Principal Frank H. Burke—a beautiful tribute to a most deserving man. . . . Our boys did a little better in basketball than they had in football. They won five of the first nine contests. We'll forget what happened in the last seven games! . . . The Weaver student body turned out en masse to witness "The Weaver Fair" which all acclaimed as tops in original high school entertainment. Ida was just ga-ga over George Widem, but just give me Gilda Levin, singing "St. Louis Blues"—if I could have her. To Mr. Brockway go many thanks for his efficient supervision of this production.

Bernie Jacobson and Marvin Bloom placed first and second respectively in the Weaver American Legion Oratorical Contest. Marv went on to capture second place in the city division. . . . Weaver seniors came through again as Elihu Channin, Alvin Hayes, Joseph Hurwitz, Danny Kenny, Sheldon Stone, and Charles Meadow passed the NROTC test with flying colors. Seymour Gavensky was an alternate. I, Stanislouse, would have passed the test except one of my legs is longer than the other. It's been pulled so many times. (Mr. Larrabee says this joke "smells," but we'll let it pass, anyway.) June Herron was named valedictorian; Gilda Schiavone, salutatorian. I just missed being valedictorian—me and 390 other students!



Then that glorious day in June, 1947 finally came. Before a cheering throng at the Bushnell Memorial we were graduated. Halfway through the impressive ceremony, a little lady jumped out of her seat and pointing at the stage, yelled, "Dere's my boy, Stanislouse!" (Bless my mother. She's far-sighted.) All decked out in my Art Clothes (rented), I approached Ida and gently kissed her. (It felt just like a hot water bottle on a cold night.) As I said before, we are now married, have thirteen kids, and I'm a garbage collector. Please, Mr. Director, let me into your college. My kids are going to Weaver High, and they'll disown me if I don't have a higher education.

Writ by hand,

STANISLOUSE BEAVER

Age 33 (It took me one year to write this.)

My dear Mr. Beaver,

Decorum Institute will be happy to include you among our sucker, I mean, student body next fall because of the unusualness of your character. We now have a freshman class of 499 leaders of the future. It's about time we got a few followers.

Many of your former classmates are now attending Decorum — They couldn't get accepted at any other place either!

We are confident that you will take pride in Decorum Institute and its traditions. Our graduates are forging ahead rapidly. Out of 10,000 alumni, five are now actually earning a living. You may be the sixth.

Confidentially,

XSLTYZ, President

*The High Command  
talk things over*







1, Golden; 2, Lattanzio; 3, B. Lebowitz; 4, Bassok; 5, Nussman; 6, Dexter; 7, L. Moseley; 8, Westley; 9, Rothstein; 10, Later; 11, M. Sullivan; 12, Becker; 13, A. Kaufman; 14, DiPersio; 15, R. Ziff; 16, R. Roth; 17, Nemser; 18, Weinberg; 19, I. Lebowitz; 20, Lifton.



## "A blessing - a danger - a challenge".

Tolerance. Brotherhood. What did such words mean to the children in these pictures? They had no meaning then, because, as children, they had not yet learned intolerance. For them brotherhood was not a topic for speeches, a goal as yet not attained; for them brotherhood was an actuality, a birthright. A child is not born with contempt for any group. He learns disdain and hate from his elders.



1, Gershman; 2, K. Kagan; 3, Bingham; 4, Slavkin; 5, Guttin; 6, Kramer; 7, Chaffee; 8, Muchnick; 9, Rudner; 10, Schuman; 11, Cooper; 12, La Flamme; 13, Shapiro; 14, Herron; 15, Schiessl; 16, Lacker; 17, B. Cohen; 18, Boccaccio.





1, Murray; 2, A. Cohen; 3, Seaman; 4, M. Padua; 5, Berger; 6, Millrod; 7, Marjorie Hurwitz; 8, Nassau; 9, G. and J. Shea; 10, Gordon; 11, Little; 12, Bonadies. Bottom Row: 1, Higgins; 2, Freedman; 3, I. Kagan; 4, Malitz.

Many years have passed since these pictures were taken. That little fellow taking his first step, the freckled face doll with corkscrew curls; in fact, all these children are now members of the class of '47 at Weaver High School. Unfortunately some of them, some of us, have learned the meaning of intolerance. But this need not be a permanent condition. At the age of seventeen or eighteen we are flexible. Our ability to change is a blessing for some, a danger for others, and a challenge for all. We must meet this challenge and become worthy American citizens. We must live according to our birthright in 1957, in 1967 as well as now in 1947.



Weather Forecast:  
Fair and warmer,  
Getting hot for  
Portal Members

# The One and Only Monstrosity

Price by the year:  
Too much  
Printed once —  
once too often

Our Motto: We only had to write it. You have to read it.  
The question of the day: How are things in Glocca Morra?

**Bulletin!** H. B. Clapp, senior math instructor, has announced that he will spend his vacation at the White Cliffs of Dover. His reasons for this choice are left unknown.

**Flash!** The ninety-seventh element was discovered by a rising young chemist. This on the spot analysis follows: Element: Women. Symbol: Wo. Accepted weight: 120. Physical properties: Boils at nothing and freezes at any minute. Melts when properly treated. Very bitter if not well used. Occurrence: Found wherever man exists. Chemical properties: Strong affinity for gold, silver, platinum, and precious stones. Violent reaction if left alone. Able to absorb great amounts of food. Turns green when placed beside a better looking specimen. Uses: Highly ornamental, useful as a tonic in acceleration of low spirits and an equalizer in the distribution of wealth. Probably the most effective income reducing agent known. Caution: Highly explosive in inexperienced hands. (Selected.)

## White Dahlia Case

A brutal crime was committed last night in Keney Park. At 9:35 4.3 seconds p. m. a piercing scream reached the ears of June Herron still studying in 206. Miss Herron immediately called ace amateur supersleuth Elihu Channin. After an intensive investigation, Channin discovered an arm, a leg, and a mutilated, decapitated body. Heedless of the reactionary criticism that was sure to follow his hasty decision, Channin drew the startling conclusion that this was murder. He had ample proof to substantiate his theory. One thousand feet from the scene of the crime, he found a three-inch lady's hat pin. This was undoubtedly the murder weapon. Realizing that only a six-foot-two-hundred-pound man could have wielded such a weapon, Channin sent out a general alarm for Herman Baren and Harold Basch. **Lookout** reporters on the scene were inclined to agree with these brilliant deductions.

**Theatre Review:** The Weaver Playhouse production of "Omelette," starring Morris Heavens,

was proclaimed a great success. Drama critic Jay Shapiro says: "At least five yolks in every act."

The management announces that the next presentation will be "Life with Father," starring Ralph and Dewey Lund.

**Obituary Notice:** The members of the **Portal Board** died a day after their book came out. Cause of death was attributed to utter exhaustion — plus a few bullets from fellow classmates . . . and teachers!

**Society:** The Society of Hurwitz met last night to discuss the admission of new members with which to plague session room teachers. It was decided that the first initial should be kept uniform to comply with the tradition set up by Muriel, Marjorie, and Myron. As charter members, Ruth, Abraham, and Joseph were allowed to remain in the organization.

## Classified Ads

Wanted: Decent food in cafeteria. See any Weaver student.

Needed urgently: Secretary, about five feet two inches, 110 lbs., blonde hair, blue eyes, amiable disposition. Typing, shorthand, and bookkeeping unessential. Apply to Ray Schmidt.

Wanted: One girl for each senior math class. Ten points given gratis to accepted applicants. Call Room 227 — E. A. Carrier.

For Sale: Large quantities of slightly mutilated frogs' legs. Will make delicious eating. R. D. Baker.

Wanted: A messenger to get ice cream for schedule room girls. Call L. Bingham before six.

Lost: One beat-out brief case. Reward: One strap of this valueless antique. See D. Gottlieb.

Attention, Juniors! For sale — The Luxury of Integrity. You'll need it!!

Teacher will exchange several dozen biographies of T. R. for one Republican President in 1948. Guess Who?

Wanted: Man, over 5 feet 10 inches, broad shoulders, handsome face, intelligent mind, sunny disposition, tuxedo, car, and money. Must be free night of Senior Reception. Apply any senior girl.

## Today's Cooking Lesson

Take some ingredients. Throw in mixing bowl. Stir for 30 seconds. Talk to girlfriend on telephone for 30 minutes. Stir 45 seconds. Talk to boyfriend 45 minutes. Put in oven. Return from movie three hours later. This delicious dish will serve six alley cats.

## Miss Mix's Mixings

Dear Miss Mix,

Woe is me! For years I've been dreaming about dancing at my Senior Reception, and now it has almost arrived. Aunt Jane thinks I'm attractive in spite of my buck teeth which are hardly even noticeable when my mouth is closed. And it doesn't seem to make much difference to Johnnie whether my eyes are crossed or not. Johnnie sits next to me in Home Ec. — he's so virile! I asked him to the Goodwill each year. I asked him to the Junior Prom. When the Leaders' Corps had a picnic, I asked him to be my partner. Johnnie really is a very busy fellow — I guess. The first time he couldn't accept because he had to work; the next time he had to go out of town. Once he had a migraine headache, and once his aunt was suddenly taken ill. Miss Mix, this is my problem: Do you think Johnnie is giving me the run-around, or should I ask him to the Reception?

O. G.

Dear Miss Sense,

If at first you don't succeed try, try again. He can't hold out forever. Besides, he has probably run out of excuses.

D. M.



# The Ideal Boy of 1947

## HE SHOULD HAVE . . .



Daniel Callahan's hair.  
Harold McCain's complexion.  
Nick Macres' eyes.  
Robert Dahill's nose.  
Martin Kaufman's mouth.  
Bernard Jacobson's teeth.  
Wilson Pinney's dimples.  
William Hornish's smile.

Jay Shapiro's voice.  
Al Linden's physique.  
Dick Chappell's athletic ability.  
Tommy Lee's dancing ability.  
Daniel Kenny's poise.  
Marshall London's clothes.  
Herman Baren's artistic ability.  
Morris Bobick's individuality.

Karl Berg's altruism.  
David Corn's sincerity.  
Burton Lowe's wit.  
Daniel Gottlieb's conscientiousness.  
William Kelleher's congeniality.  
Morton Schweitzer's loyalty.  
Edmund Jenks' personality.  
Samuel Epstein's good nature.  
George Ducharme's business ability.  
Michael Daly's integrity.  
David Becker's tact.





# The Ideal Girl of 1947

## SHE SHOULD HAVE . . .

Mary Padua's hair.

Peppy Rothstein's complexion.

Glenna Fitzgerald's eyes.

Gilda Levin's mouth.

Margie Hurwitz's nose.

Helen Calabro's teeth.

Margie Waterhouse's smile.

Jean Shea's dimples.

Rita Gershman's voice.

Jean Goldberg's figure.

Mary Bonadies' dancing ability.

Dorothy Solon's poise.

Domenica Tolisano's clothes.

Doris Huempel's tact.

Pearl Haber's artistic ability.

Roz Roth's vocabulary.

Babs Ziff's individuality.

Jean Miele's enthusiasm.

Gerry Shea's altruism.

Elinor Nemser's sincerity.

Rosa Warren's conscientiousness.

Claire Jolly's congeniality.

Lorraine Duncan's loyalty.

Kay Cahill's good nature.

Rita Lifton's personality.

Gilda Schiavone's business ability.







7. Reid and Bloom attempting to make a "funny" at Weaver Night. 4. 227 — Miss Regan's quiet (?) third period study. 5. Weaver Night foursome "Aye Yae Yae". 1. Pratt & Whitney? No, it couldn't be with Puglise and the "W". 2. Jr. Town Meeting of the air. Rita Gershman is smiling at some boy in the first row! 6. Chem with "Poppa" Walsh. Everybody SEEMS interested but Bloom! 3. Mr. Cunningham and his few male students!



# Clubs and Activities

October 7, 1944.

Dear Diary:

Well, today I finally dood it! I too cut open a frog in Biology class — my very first — and boy, am I proud! Some of the girls from the Biology Club were in, calmly watching us — us with our knees knocking and our hands shaking — performing our very first major operation! All someone had to say was: "forceps, please," and the classroom would certainly have been transformed, in our minds at least, into an operating room. Conscientious, that's us.

There are a few seniors in my class who are also in the Latin Club. The clever names that they call their frogs put my poor name of Boris to shame. I am sure that Boris doesn't mind, however, for he's quite dead!

## LOOKOUT BUSINESS STAFF

Front Row, left to right: Samler, Corn, Lind, Spelane.  
Standing: Rabinowitz, B. Richman, Guttin, Forman, Lichtenbaum.



## THE LOOKOUT — MINUS ITS MEN!

Front Row, left to right: Lassoff, Huempel, Herron, Higgins, Rampelli.  
Standing: Ahlin, B. Lebowitz, Gordon.  
Not in Picture: Editor Gottlieb, Associate Ed. Lessow, Feature Ed. Graham, Sport Ed. Engel.

December 10, 1944.

Dear Diary:

I haven't written for a long time, but I've been so busy. Along with everything else, I've been spending my hours at "Lookout" — writing everything under the sun. Such is life! — I guess? ? ? ?

Gosh, diary, some kids have all the luck! Two of my girl friends just got bids to join the Girls' Leaders' Corps.

There's even talk of getting a Boys' Leaders' Corps organized. If one is set up, I bet Carlton Stevens (that's my B. F., diary — I call him "Speedy" for short because of his Chess Club activities) will be the first to try out for it.

Until the next time, diary — good night!

February 24, 1945.

Dear Diary:

"Speedy" made the Leaders' Corps, but he wasn't satisfied so — what did he do? He joined the Camera Club! Dear diary, I'm going crazy, believe me! Every time I see the guy he's either popping light bulbs in my face or saying: "Watch the birdie!" to some pretty redhead. I don't care about the light bulbs in **my** face, but he'd better watch it with those redheads. Grrrrr! After all, I am going steady with the guy — or didn't I tell you? Well, I am. Isn't it wonderful?



April 16, 1945.

Dear Diary:

They — the Art-Crafts Club, that is — had the most beautiful jewelry on sale in the lobby today. Wonderful silver bracelets and copper dishes were on exhibition. They are going to sell them tomorrow, too. Maybe if I hint long enough, "Speedy" might buy me something. We shall see.

June 22, 1945.

Dear Diary:

Nothing very important happened today. Did I say nothing? Well, maybe that is an understatement. Today we did get out of school for the summer vacation, and that means I will be a junior next year!

September 18, 1945.

Dear Diary:

Golly, it's more fun being a junior! Now we can boss the poor sophs around, just like the other juniors did before us. Rumor has it that some of the juniors are starting a Record Club. Jeepers, I hope they do. I'll be sure to join, and then I can play some of my classical records for the kids. Oh, did I tell you, diary? I'm through swooning over Frankie. I've matured all of a sudden — maybe because I'm a junior now. All I listen to is Beethoven, Chopin, and Verdi.

I guess, before I know it, I'll be reading the best literature of the world, too. You know, diary, they say that the Weaver C.H.L.S. is wonderful. It introduces you to good books and makes you really appreciate them. I think I'll join.

December 14, 1945.

Dear Diary:

"Speedy" and I went to the Goodwill Formal last night — that's the dance that's sponsored by the Weaver Girls' League. I wore a black gown and had two pink camellias (my very first flowers). What a wonderful evening!

April 17, 1946.

Dear Diary:

I haven't written for so long because nothing very important has happened. Today, "Speedy" was elected to the Honor Society! Isn't that wonderful? It's a big achievement being voted in when you're still a junior. I hope I get in next year!

Oh yes, I almost forgot — the Junior Prom is next week, and as usual, I'm going with "Speedy." This time I'm wearing a white gown. I hope I get an orchid — probably I'll end up with ragweed or something, though.

May 29, 1946.

Dear Diary:

Gosh, two more weeks and then summer vacation again. I was talking to one of the kids from the French Club today. She told me that they really have loads of fun at their meetings. I wish they'd form a German Club. I should think they would. Hummmmm, we shall see what persuasion will do.

*Any C.H.L.S. prospects in F.E.L.'s class?*



*Mr. Preu's craftsmen at work — without sound effect*



They should make good housewives,  
Miss Clough



Miss Case and her future "career women"

was nominated for Class Gossip (that's the female office of Class Orator). I wasn't elected, though! I guess the kids don't think I talk enough. They should talk to "Speedy." He'd tell them different, I'm sure.

Oh, by the way, I saw a very smartly dressed woman in school today. The kids told me she spoke to the Business Club. She looked like a typical business woman from the pages of Vogue. Ahh — my ideal!

Dear Diary:

I'm not going to the Junior Prom this year. "Speedy" and I aren't speaking to each other. I hope we make up before the Senior Reception. I want to go.

Dear Diary:

Last night was the Senior Reception. "Speedy" and I had a reconciliation before the dance so — we went together. I had a perfectly wonderful time. This is something I shall always remember! The streamer decorated gym — the two orchestras — my very first orchid — and "Speedy." The Reception is a perfect ending to my swell high school years.

Well, in two days, I'll be sitting on the stage and receiving my diploma. Gosh, will I be proud then! From graduation I go on to college, and from there — who knows, diary? Certainly not me!

I won't have time to write any more until September, because I'm a working girl this summer! Until September, then, dear diary, good bye.

September 10, 1946.

Dear Diary:

Well, here I am again, but this time I'm a senior — a senior — wow — how time flies! Tempus fugit. (That's my Latin coming back to me from my soph days.)

We've got a new German teacher this year. He said something about starting a German Club — I hope, I hope. The third year pupils will be the backbone of the club, he says. That means another club that I'll join. One more and I'll burst. It's more fun this way, though!

January 13, 1947.

Dear Diary:

Here it is January already, and half of my senior year is gone. I've got nothing to show for it except a couple of marks on a report card. Some of the other senior girls who belong to the Ingleside Club do have something to show for their semester's work. They are sporting their clothes that they made in school all around town. Oh, to be handy like those girls! Every time I try to sew a straight seam, I'm amazed at what beautiful designs the sewing machine can make! Well, I guess I'm just not talented along those lines.

March 2, 1947.

Dear Diary:

We had Senior Elections today. I

April 1, 1947.

June 24, 1947.



## *"The Music in My Heart I Bore," . . .*



*Plotzers' Paradise!*

The three years that we have spent at Weaver have gone by on "Wings of Song." Whether at a football game, an assembly, a concert, or just in auditorium study hall, we would hear well known marches, "Tea for Two," "The Old Grey Mare" and "Begin the Beguine," sometimes beautifully played and other times just a little bit hazy, as a newcomer tackled a piece.

Many varied organizations satisfied the talents and interests of all musically-inclined Weaverites. The Girls' Glee Club and the Band, under the direction of Mr. Green, presented beautifully-executed concerts each spring. Who will ever forget the stirring rendition of "One World" by the Glee Club in 1946? This year the Boys' Glee Club, under Mr. Brockway's leadership, joined with the Girls' Glee Club and the Band to prove that the men of Weaver had equally fine voices. After their debut on April 16, 1947 we feel certain that the Boys' Glee Club will again take its place among the active clubs in Weaver. Even with a busy schedule, the band always enjoyed playing at football and basketball games.

*The Weaver and H.P.H.S. Bands salute the colors*





## Musical Organizations

The inter-city choir, led by Mr. Price in 1945 and then by Mr. Hintz, claimed many Weaver singers as members. Each spring a concert from the Bushnell stage climaxed a year of hard work. About 600 boys and girls sang with such capable artists as William Hain. "The Song of Victory," which enthralled many of us as sophomores, remained our favorite.

Weaver students comprised the major part of the A Cappella Choir, an inter-city group, under the direction of Mr. Hintz, which gives many concerts throughout the year, highlighted by the lovely Christmas sings at all three high schools. This year the A Cappella Choir went to Scranton, Pennsylvania to sing at a music educators' convention.

Delegates from Weaver attended the All-State Music Clinic which took place in Hartford this year. The All-State Band, Orchestra, and Choir rehearsed in various schools and gave a very successful joint concert here at Weaver. Then the different groups went to leading Connecticut cities to sing and play for the teachers at their conventions. Weaver was also represented at the New England Music Festival when twenty-nine Weaver students went to Battleboro, Vermont for a weekend of fun and education. Sightseeing, dancing, and rehearsing were mixed into a well-rounded and entertaining program. The boys and girls who attended these music clinics will remember those happy music-filled days as long as they remember Weaver.

The Record Club was organized in the fall of 1945 and has enjoyed a tremendous popularity. At regular meetings new recordings and recording artists are discussed. This year a record lending-library was started for members only. However, the club hopes to extend this service to all students next year. The Record Club has done much to further student interest in both classical and popular music.

Since none of us will ever forget the wonderful music we heard here at Weaver, we will also always remember our classmates who made those wonderful hours of music possible.





## Prophecy

A sudden glare! A flaming streak! An agonizing shriek! And there I stood before my mirror in my new orange satin pajamas with the purple geraniums, purchased a few days earlier in the newest store opened by Rita Lifton Stores Co. Ltd. It was the Chinese branch (I was living in Hongkong at the time) of Rita's Ripping Bric-a-Brac Co. Inc. As I walked in looking for a bargain at the grand opening sale (between Weaver Night and football tickets I had been forced to bargain hunt), whom should I see standing behind the counter but the delight of those old chem classes, Minnie Bassok. As we greeted each other uproariously with an icy handshake, she pointed to the pride and joy of her shoppe, the orange and purple pajamas, hand painted by Herman Baren and his retinue of robust seamsters. After I had begged, argued, and pleaded with her to relinquish her claim on those monstrosities, Min finally convinced me that I should buy them. I left the store with my purchase, bitterly reminding her of the days when I had — well, just when I had.

But to resume where I so rudely interrupted myself. There I stood in my orange and purple pajamas in Hongkong in my little apartment which had recently been redecorated by Pete Sayadoff and his international interior decorating firm. I had had it furnished by the Marilyn Nassau Furniture Co. Inc. Marilyn's business was flourishing now, and with Burt Kramer as vice-president of the whether-you-need-it-or-not-you'll-buy-it department, sales were really booming.

Remembering Miss Whitney's admonition "A rolling exercise gathers no fat," I began to try to remedy in five minutes the effects of a lifetime of neglect. Up straight — elbows touching in back — thrust head behind waist until it reaches and comfortably rests upon point where elbows touch — an exercise especially designed for reducing excess fat behind the ears. Now one-two-ugh-creak-ugh. I surrender! There and then I made up my mind that I much preferred to have my excessive corpulence removed for me. Naturally then, since I traded at only the best places, I cabled the Alice Shugay-Angie Sapia Salon for Slimmering Slightly-Stuffed Senoritas. Ably aided by Marilyn Engel, Eleanor Hayes, Lucy Buccheri, Gerry Shea, and Barbara Borden, Alice and Angie had built up a successful business, especially since butchers were paying five cents per pound of fat plus two free passes to see either Lorraine Duncan and Priscilla Glater, duo-pianists, or Al Lapuk and his New England Cavaliers, featuring Pete Delmastro, clarinetist deluxe, and Rita Gershman, torch singer, with Lena Bottaro, Eva Boccaccio, Billy Kelleher, Lou Neporent, Billy Thompson, and Joe Ungaro. Joe had recently resigned from politics and become a musician, having tired of fancy dress balls, formal dinners, and the like.

While eating breakfast, I started to pore over my copy of the "World Directory of Doctors, Lawyers, Merchants, Chiefs, Teachers, and Other Non-essential Occupations and Professions" which had been sent to me by the William Hornish Insurance Co. Scanning the pages, I chanced to notice a listing which filled me with nostalgia for dear old Weaver: "Rudner, Channin, and Weinberg, divorce lawyers par excellence — we guarantee satisfaction or double your husband back!" Well, that trio was still keeping the girls happy! Leafing deeper and deeper into the voluminous text, I happened to glimpse this listing: "All South American Musical Review — full blooded natives (of New England). We sing any time of night or day, provided it's between 11:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M." Members of this prosperous concern were Elaine Kravsow, Saul Karp, and Larry Malitz. I had

*Going somewhere, boys?  
Read this article to see where!*





learned that the troupe was doing well from Gilda Levin, the gal with the low-down voice, whom I had met not long before in a night club where she was being featured as guest artist. But I had to be on my way to the States to keep my appointment with Alice and Angie. I called the William Sullivan Steamship Agency for accommodations, but to my chagrin no reservations were available. Not to be deterred by such a trifle, I hastened to phone the best airport in the region which naturally was Rosemarie Vecchiolla's Air Transport Service. When I was told that an express plane left in half an hour, I hastily threw into my pocketbook bobby pins, a comb, lipstick, a comb, powder, a comb, a toothbrush, and some combs. Clambering into the most available clothes, I bade my Chinese landlady a fond farewell, leaving with her as a token of my esteem a copy of the **Lookout** with which I had lined my cosmetic drawer (I always had told doubters in Weaver that that paper **did** have a purpose) and hastened by jinricksha to the airport. I just had time before going aboard to shout a hearty greeting to Rosemarie. With a flying leap I took my seat, and then I took another flying leap from sheer surprise. Sitting next to me, in back of me, in front of me — in fact, everywhere except in my seat — were Tommy Lee, Eddie Burgie, Gene Moriarity, Marty Kaufman, and Al Linden. After hurriedly introducing myself and identifying myself as the person responsible for their **Portal** write-ups (then fighting valiantly as they attempted to shove me out the escape hatch — sans parachute), I inquired into the nature of their sojourn. True to the course they had begun in Weaver, the boys were now operating the Upsa-daisy Bodymoulding Foundation for Men, a unique feature in the world of athletics.



*Rita Gershman,  
torch singer*

So engrossed with Weaver reminiscences were we that before I realized it, we had landed — plink, plunk, plink, KER P L O P — right in the middle of the Chicago Airport. Photographers, newspapermen, cameramen, radio technicians rushed toward us. (Upon later recalling the scene, I realized that the host of press hands were Al Herman, Gil Rosenbaum, and Neale Rosenthal, Associated Press Photographers, and Burton Lowe, radio technician.) I swelled with pride. "Well," I whispered, glowing to a fellow passenger, "I know I am a famous globetrotter, but all this! Why, I'm overcome!" And I beamed beautifully as the whole slew of them rushed on to the plane adjacent to mine just in time to catch the disembarkation of Jean Goldberg, Mary Padua, Pearl Haber, Dorothy Solon, Margie Waterhouse, Janet Harris, and Glenna Fitzgerald. From the ensuing welcome speech of Gilda Schiavone, National President of the S. of C. M. Society of Children of Mothers), I learned that the girls were Powers Models traveling from Hollywood to Chicago to aid in a bazaar sponsored by Gilda's group for the benefit of sons and daughters of members of the Society of Children of Mothers. (Rather difficult, I admit, but nothing for one who has wrestled with Pythagoras in Mr. Clapp's gymnasium.)

As I slunk away to find the most available cab, I heard an Oxford-flavored voice inquire, "Cab, ma'am?"

"Why yes, I was just — good heavens, it can't be?"

"Something wrong, ma'am?" asked the cabby, a picture of chauffeurial elegance standing next to his block-long Packard.

"Oh no, nothing's wrong, but aren't you — yes, you must be — aren't you Jordan Muchnick?"

"Yes, ma'am, that's what they call me, but 'ow did you know?"

"Why, Jordan, don't you remember? How could you ever forget that viertel Stunde Deutsch Klasse?"

"By Jove, Roz, Roz Roth! Of course. 'ow could I 'ave been so forgetful! Come on, get in, and I'll drive you where you're going."





*Gilda's S. of C. M.*

Naturally, as soon as I was comfortably seated, I began to pop the questions, the first being where Jordan had ever picked up that accent.

"As you may know, Roz, several years ago, after having traveled extensively throughout the states, I decided to work my way across Europe. I got a job as steward on a steamer headed for Australia. Incidentally, you'll probably never guess whom I met on board."

"Well, don't keep me in suspense, Jordan. Who?"

"First of all, the chief engineer was Alton Cosman. By the looks on our faces we each knew that the other was Weaver '47. I was elated over the discovery of a comrade far from home, but more surprises were in store. There were more Weaverites on board. Believe it or not, there was an all-Weaver theatrical troupe, headed by Marvin Bloom, who had recently been acclaimed a

second Barrymore, and Doris Huempel, whose career had skyrocketed since J. A. days. Principals in the dramatic department of the troupe were Wilson Pinney and Mary Bonadies, while Dut Tolisano handled set decorations and Lila Cole arranged musical effects."

"I can hardly believe our class has stuck together so closely," I cried in complete astonishment.

"Righto, but that's not all. Just listen to this and hold tight. The stream of Weaverites I met on my Australian Odyssey didn't end here. The first stop along the way was a charming place where one can swelter in the horrible afternoon heat to the sweet music of a million gnats—a little Pacific Isle called Plotzers' Paradise. At the dock I espied the mayor of the town offering us a hearty welcome, a chubby chap radiant in his sunsuit of Koala fur and a necklace of wild boars' teeth with a human finger bone threaded through his nose as an added attraction. By Jove, can you imagine my flabbergastion (this word will appear in the eighteenth edition of Lessow's Complicated and Unabridged Collegiate Dictionary through the courtesy of Herbie Lessow, author, and Dan Gottlieb, his manager. At least these fugitives from the **Lookout** office had done something worthwhile!) upon discerning that this most picturesque of magistrates was none other than Bernie Jacobson. But if I was flabbergasted at this, well—just put yourself in my place when I realized that the two lei-bedecked secretaries I saw avidly taking notes were Anne DiBella and Peppy Rothstein. And on my word, you never will believe it, but serving as chief business advisor of the municipal staff was George Ducharme. Naturally I jumped from the ship as soon as possible and renewed old acquaintances. Bernie, a most generous official, offered to show me the sights of his thriving metropolis. First we—but look, speaking of old acquaintances, have you noticed that huge yellow brick building that has been following us for quite some time now?"

"Do you mean the one with the beautiful lawn and the gigantic neon sign on—good heavens, am I seeing things or does that sign really say 'Becker Institute'?"

"No, you're not seeing things. That building, which covers fifty blocks, by the way, houses among other things in its 198 stories the Dongiovanni School of Music, managed by Nancy Higgins, and the David Becker Clinic to Cure You of the Diseases You Think You Have But We'll Prove You Haven't Got Them—For a Price. Would you like to go through the place? They have organized tours, you know."

"Why, I'd love to. I simply can't believe it. I'll have to see Dave himself before I'm convinced this is actually his. What time does the next tour begin?"

"You've just enough time to get some supplies. You need provisions, you know. A few months ago Bobby Cohen, in her capacity as a guide, took a wrong turn, and it wasn't till two weeks later that rescuers found the party wandering in a simulated desert on floor 103. And 'alf starved, too, they were."

"I don't feel like delaying that long. Just drop me off here, Jordan. I can't tell you how





Dr. Shapiro

much I enjoyed your tales even though I still don't know where you got the accent." And with a glance at the meter, which registered \$34.57, I dashed out of the cab and up the imposing stairs of "Becker Institute," waving a green and white kerchief to Jordan who stood gaping by his cab. Oh well, "Tovarich," you know.

I opened the massive bronze doors. Suddenly I was transported beyond earthly matter. There lay before me a boundless desert of marble floor-coverings, ceilings, and walls. Adjusting my binoculars, I discerned about a mile away an all-mirrored information desk. Even from the distance I recognized the familiar form of Doris Rampelli, diligently pounding on her typewriter. At last! Here was my chance! A look of long-suffering agony veiled my eyes. The **verboden** cry flew from my lips before I could control it. "Doris, Doris, aren't my pictures ready **yet?**" There, it was out, and I was glad. I stood straighter than

I had in years, glowing with self-assurance. Gloatingly I started to scan the directory lettered in mother-of-pearl on solid onyx. Suddenly I heard unearthly footsteps. I sprang up, looking about me terrified. Not a soul in sight. A cold chill ran up and down my spine till it got tired. Then it sat down and slid. Finally I realized those steps must be the echoes of steps about a mile away. My deduction was proved right when fifteen minutes later I spied a pair of tortoise shell glasses about five hundred yards off. Oh, pardon me, not a pair of glasses! It was Hamlet himself, of course, Jay Shapiro. "Jay, Jay," I cried. "What are you doing in this glorified tomb?"

"Well, as I live and breath, it's the erstwhile prophetess herself, Roz Roth. But how comest thou here, me proud classmate?"

"To tell the truth, I came to find Dave Becker and inquire whether this shack really belongs — but Jay, why are you knocking your head on the floor?"

"Oh, Roz," he answered tremulously, a specter of fear in his eye, "whenever you mention that name you must show fit reverence."

"Come now, Jay. Don't be silly."

"Silly, you calls it! Aah! Come see for yourself. We'd better take a helicopter to his suite. It takes an hour and a half less that way than by jet-propelled elevator," he answered, still with an air of reverential awe.

On the way up he told me he was an officer in the health clinic at the Institute. "In fact, I'm head of the psychoanalysis department and — but here we are. Now please, Roz, show only the utmost deference and subservience to the Great One."

"But, Dr. Shapiro, you know I can't make myself —"

"Shhh! Here we are. Now please, Roz." And with that he pressed a buzzer by the massive seed pearl doors. From the obscure depths a resonant voice boomed forth, "Ye who go there, enter. But abandon all dangerous weapons including nail files and sling shots before ye enter into the mighty presence!"

"Jay, that voice sounds quite familiar. Whose is it?" I whispered, somewhat awed.

"It certainly should be familiar. That's Danny Kenny. Despite his work on the **Portal** he has managed to go quite far; he's now assistant to the vice-president in charge of protecting the Mighty One."

"Oh, I see," I meekly replied, feeling rather insignificant. "But look, the door is opening."

"Now, Roz, you must have fortitude. Chin up. Let's go." And we entered a mirrored abyss where first we were whisked to a huge magnet which lifted

*Ungaro before turning musician*





any dangerous weapons and loose change from our pockets. Then we were led to a desk where Dickie Graham, former chief of the F. B. I., checked our fingerprints as an added precaution. Through an iron door we passed to an inner chamber where Dick Chappell, John Jackson, Oliver Wallace, and Eddie Weintraub, armed guards, challenged us. Since Jay knew the password, "His face is his fortune, but poverty is no disgrace," we were admitted to the ante chamber of David the Terrible. Kowtowing up to the secretaries of the Presence, Kay Cahill and Rosa Warren (most exalted positions), we petitioned them for admission to the inner sanctum.

"Are you cra — oh, pardon me, of course, one moment please." And two hours later the fateful nod came. The barred door flung open. I stood awe-struck by the gorgeous tapestries and rich carvings, dazzled by the golden splendor. Through my binoculars I saw the Mighty Mite, Dr. Becker himself, staring enthralled at court jester Peachy Harris.



*Peachy Harris —  
court jester!*

Before he had time to thunder at the intruders who dared to profane his presence, a messenger crawled to his dais and presented him with a request to explain his theory of irrelativity as related to neoligistic psilosis. With a scornful grimace he shoved the man away declaring, "This task takes no ingenuity. Give it to one of my assistants."

Just then I noticed Jay, about to drop from nervous prostration; so before David finished speaking, we slunk out of the room. I had seen what I had come to see, anyway. After reviving Jay, I demanded as my reward that he show me the rest of the building. As an insipid shade of green seeped over his face, he propped himself up on his elbow and said, "Roz, honestly, I'd like to show you the layout, but my secretary-nurse, Miss Little, has my appointment book filled to the top. A most amazing creature, my secretary. Yes, were it not for Pat's buoyant spirit this place would have made me a corpse long ago. But really, Roz, I don't have much time, and I can't guide you. Here's a map, however, that will direct you in a crude sort of way. Just listen carefully, and you'll find your way all right. Now here's where you are, facing north. If you follow route fifteen, you'll find the International School of Modern Dance, run by Lucy Smith and Rosalie Muse. About a mile to the north take a left turn, and you'll soon come to the Mademoiselles Sheila Berger and Margie Hurwitz's Tutoring Service. Turn left at the hydro-electric escalator for our research lab where Professor Harvey Frauen-glass is perfecting his technique of improved methods of relaxation. Babs Ziff is still looking for the ten points Mr. Parks owes her, and Mary Zanettos is inventing a speedometer with which to clock the running stitch."

With these directions I bravely started out and naturally was soon lost. Even so, I passed some interesting places. First I came to the chem lab where Helen Pashko was contentedly mixing cyanide and arsenic cocktails for herself and Gerry Davin, who was taking time off from the Institute gym. Cecele Lucente, there to record Helen's discoveries, was partaking of a cyanide soda with chloroform ice cream. Quickly I dashed around the corner and almost bumped into Audrey Young, librarian for the entire Institute. Audrey walked along with me to the astronomical observatory. Peering through the window, I discerned Michael Daly and Al Hayes poring over scads of figures — the newest edition of **Esquire!** I broke into the lab. Then I saw the huge telescope and grabbed that instead of the **Esquire**. (What fools these mortals be!) I peered through it, adjusted the dials, and —

"Look! all the stars are moving," I bellowed.

"In my estimation, Professor Daly, an unusual phenomenon is about to occur," said Al profoundly.

"I find due evidence to corroborate your statement, Professor Hayes," replied Michael.

"Stop being so scientific, you two," I cried in a frenzy of excitement. "There, look, all those millions of stars are spelling out a message. Good Heavens!"

And since the three of us died from shock right there, we carried with us to the Happy Hunting Ground the knowledge that on that momentous day in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-seven, all the bodies in the heavens had been moved to spell out the immortal words:

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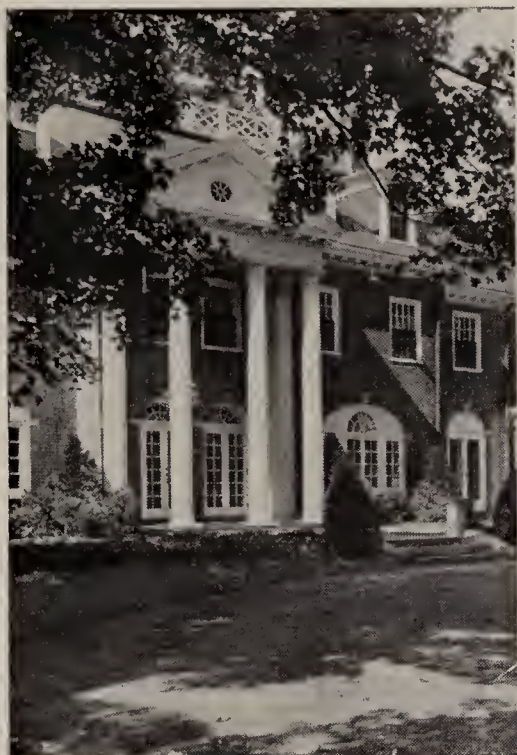
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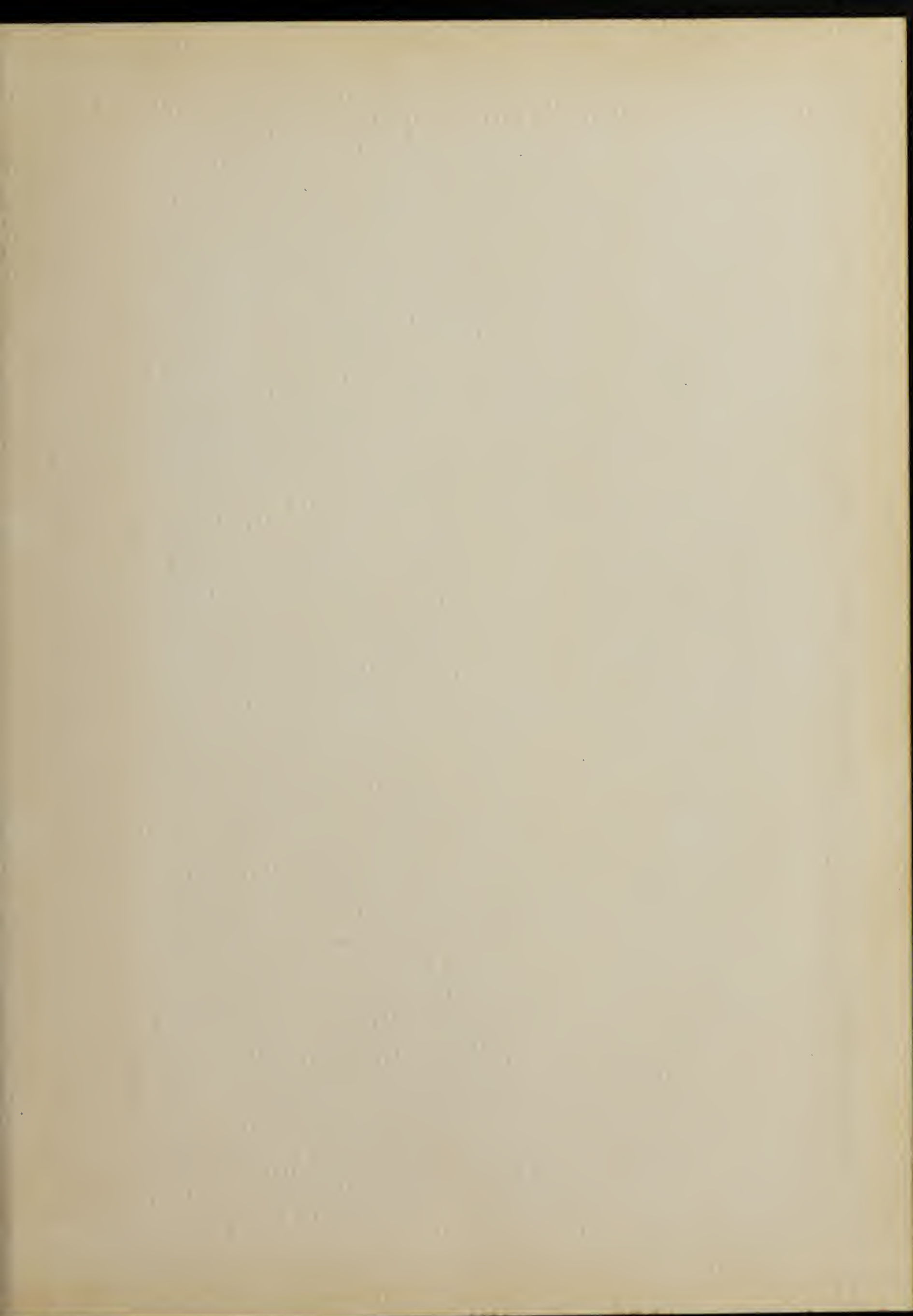
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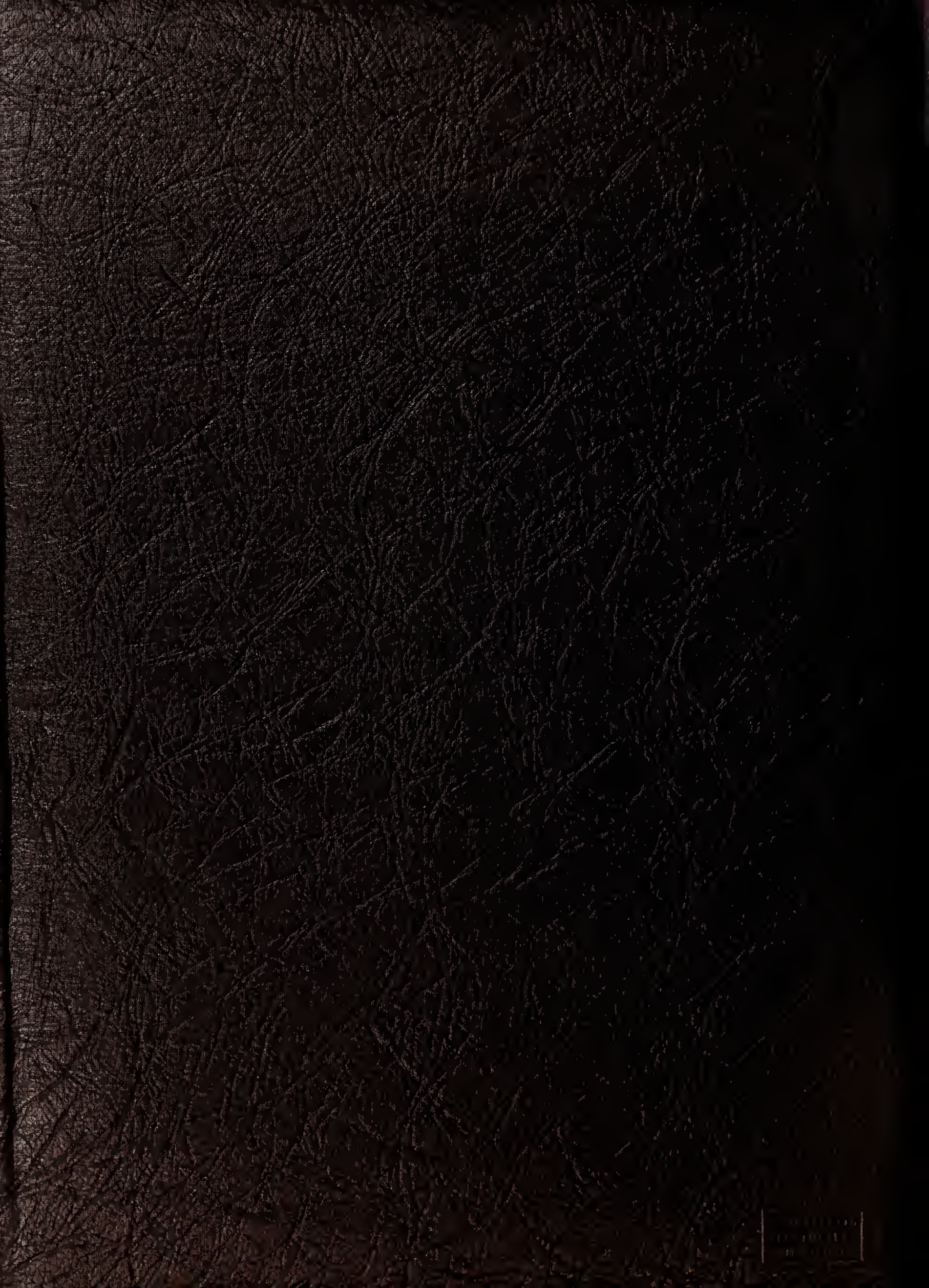












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